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Election Next Wednesday

Voters Asked To Build Elementary Classrooms

Two proposals to build a new elementary school and operate it will be voted on by Crawford AuSable School District residents from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday, September 25.

The School Board says the new building will solve overcrowding problems at the elementary and middle school levels. They say the proposals go together. They will not build the school without money to operate it.

If the proposals are approved, the building will open in the middle of the 1992-93 school year.

The new elementary school will house grades preschool through second and will be located next to the current Grayling Elementary School.

The schools will be attached by a new central kitchen and separate cafeterias. Additional playground and parking spaces will be added along with a bus traffic lane for both schools.

Also included in the \$5,850,000 elementary construction project will be improvements to Grayling Elementary, which will house grades 3-5, and to Frederic Elementary. At Grayling Elementary, the ventilation will be improved, energy efficient improvements will be added and office space will be expanded. At Frederic Elementary, walls will be added to enclose open classrooms, a section of 30-year roof will be replaced, and playground and parking improvements will be added. In addition to these im-

provements, if the proposals pass, the football field and track will be relocated.

Voters will cast ballots at three locations. Crawford AuSable School District residents in the city of Grayling, Grayling Township, a portion of Beaver Creek Twp., and a part of Bear Lake Twp. will vote at the Grayling Middle School.

Residents in Frederic Twp., Maple Forest Twp., and a portion of Otsego Lake Twp. will vote at the Frederic Elementary School.

Residents in Lovells Twp. will vote at the Lovells Twp. Hall.

There is also still time for voters to pick up an absentee ballot at the school

district's central office on Michigan Ave.

The millage requested in these proposals breaks down this way: For the construction issue, one mill more will be levied than the current debt retirement millage.

For operating the school, 1.75 mills is requested to pay for utilities, maintenance, custodians, supervisory personnel, library personnel, secretary, and a principal. However, because the building would not open until the middle of the 1992-93, this millage would not be levied for the 91-92 year. For the 92-93 year, since the building is expected to open during the middle of the year, only half of the millage

United Way Auction Aims For New Record

The United Way Auction raised \$7,700 in 1985, its first year, and the amount it earns for Crawford County United Way has grown each year. The second year, 1986, it raised \$8,200. In 1987, just its third year, the event raised \$10,000.

In 1988, it had its biggest increase to \$13,200. In 1989, \$15,000 was

earned. Last year the auction raised \$16,000.

United Way volunteers will be calling on area businesses soon. The deadline for donating items is October 14. For more information about this year's auction on November 2, call Gloria Kraus, 348-9071, or Maureen McNamara, 348-2171.

COST TO THE AVERAGE HOMEOWNER

\$50,000 Home (\$25,000 Assessed Value)

Year	Per Day	Per Week	Per Month
1991-92	\$.07	.48	2.08
1992-93	.13	.90	3.90
1993-94	.19	1.32	5.73

and thereafter

Commissioners Start Cutting Into Projected \$115,000 Deficit

By Irene Pettyjohn

Crawford County Commissioners approved several budget amendments intended to cut the county's projected deficit by nearly \$47,000.

A freeze on all overtime is effective immediately. During preliminary discussions at a special Ways and Means meeting on Thursday, September 5, commissioners talked about exempting overtime for county corrections officers; however, this exception was not part of the motion made at the commissioners' meeting on Wednesday, September 11.

Commissioner Dennis Long estimates that freezing overtime will save the county approximately \$18,000.

Commissioners also re-emphasized

the existence of the county's hiring freeze that has been in effect since before 1986. County clerk Beth Wieland said this freeze was intended to include both the hiring of new employees and the replacement of employees when vacancies occurred, but said it has been standard practice over the years for commissioners to set aside the hiring freeze temporarily to fill vacancies that occur either because of retirements or whenever an employee left county employment.

Budget amendments were approved to cut appropriations in the following categories: District Health Dept. #1, \$3,000; North Central Community Mental Health, \$3,500; Probate Court's Child Care Fund, \$7,000; and

Grayling Airport, \$15,000.

Additional cuts will be made later this month after commissioners receive an eight-month budget analysis from county treasurer Joseph Wakeley.

Commissioners are still discussing the possibility of some kind of wage concessions by county employees; however, whether concessions will include voluntary reductions of hours, payless holidays, or lay-offs is unknown at this time. What is clear is that commissioners are looking at a projected \$115,000 deficit and the cuts approved on Wednesday come short of balancing the county's budget by nearly \$69,000.

"The day has come when county revenues and millage money has to be

used to support general government operations," said Wakeley. "Special requests for programs such as Gypsy Moth suppression are either going to have to be self-funding or paid for by additional millage. That's the bottom line," he stated. "We can't be all things to all people."

Wakeley said he will be spending the next two weeks poring over the budget to see if it is feasible to save \$18,000 by freezing overtime as well as identifying other cuts that department heads can live with for the remainder of 1991. He said these cuts will be presented to the board of commissioners at their September 25 meeting.

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Crawford County Will Begin 1993 With One Less Commissioner Job

By Irene Pettyjohn

There will be one less commissioner on the Crawford County Board of Commissioners after the 1992 general election. When the new slate of commissioners take the oath of office in January of 1993, only six commissioners will be present instead of the current seven.

The six-member commission is the result of the County Reapportionment Commission's new redistricting plan that was submitted to the state on August 28.

County commission member Beth Wieland said the commission chose the six-member plan over several other options because it met the criteria of equal populations within each district while at the same time, making as few

divisions of governmental lines as possible. Other options considered included two seven-member plans and one for nine-members.

Wieland explained that Crawford County could have as few as five or as many as 15 commissioners as long as whatever plan selected followed the strict apportionment guidelines and standards set by state law.

County treasurer Joseph Wakeley, another member of the reapportionment commission, said the reapportionment commission was aware before making its final decision that the new plan would not please everyone, but he added that none of the plans

available would have allowed all the current members of the board to continue representing their present districts. One of the seven-member plans put Commissioners Robert Smock and Dennis Long in the same district, the other seven-member plan did the same to Loren Goodale and Robert Smock. The nine-member plan threw Commissioners Joseph Callewart and Loren Goodale in the same district. The six-member plan puts Commissioners Lee Riley and Loren Goodale both in District 2.

"None of the districts are the same as they were before redistricting," he said.

Both Wieland and Wakeley said the six-member plan was the only option that kept all the townships and the city as whole units, with the exception of Grayling Township, and still divided the county's population within the mandatory 11.9% (5.95% up or down from each district's average).

"With between 40 and 50% of the county's population in Grayling Township, we had no choice but to break it up," said Crawford County Democratic chairperson Clayton Horton.

Horton said County Prosecutor John Huss, also a member of the reapportionment commission, looked at the

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GOOD DEFENSE--Grayling High School junior Elissa Cox guards an Onaway opponent on an out-of-bounds pass during the varsity basketball team's first home game on September 12. For full local sports coverage, please see pages 12-13.

Chicken Little Testing Returns To Grayling

Camp Grayling's Range 30 Complex is again host to a testing and development project known in past years as "Chicken Little."

Conducted by the Joint Munitions Test and Evaluation Program Office, and coordinated through Eglin Air Force Base, Florida, the testing project will span the months of September, October, and December. It will involve captive flights by three commercially-produced helicopters over ground targets on the range, to determine how sensors can find their targets. No munitions will be dropped or fired from the aircraft. As in past tests of this type, all environmental laws of Camp Grayling and the state will be strictly observed, and the environmental assessment prepared for the test, dated February 1, 1990, is still in effect.

Any state or federal funds expended to support this test will be

reimbursed by the sponsoring test agency. Approximately thirty local citizens will be hired for various aspects of the test operation, to include security personnel and other support services.

Local business owners will benefit by the expenditures of the test function, as well as from the test personnel, as they purchase restaurant meals, lodging, and supplies, materials, fuel, and contracted services. This economic benefit has been noticeable in past phases of the test, which usually falls between busy summer and winter seasons," said Major Foehl, Camp Grayling Public Affairs Officer.

Anyone desiring further information as the testing progresses, can call Major Foehl at Camp Grayling, at 348-3708, or 1-800-628-5820.

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KCC Millage Passes By Large Margin 6583-3686

Voters in the Kirtland Community College District approved a 1.5 mill increase for the college by a 6,583 to 3,686 count.

All six local school districts passed the millage.

Crawford AuSable passed it by 1420 to 616.

Gerrish-Higgins passed it by 2085 to 1016.

West Branch-Rose City passed it by 1237 to 742.

Fairview passed it by 317 to 141.

Mio passed it by 555 to 341.

Houghton Lake passed it by 969 to 828.

Within the Crawford AuSable School District, precinct one, or Grayling, approved it 1203 to 466. Precinct two, or Frederic, approved it 131 to 86. Precinct three, or Lovells, approved it 83 to 64.

"The people sent a real mandate that they want the college here," said KCC

president Dorothy Franke.

"It takes an act of real courage to vote tax increases on yourself," she said. "But I think most people realize that without the college this area would truly be diminished."

Franke said they are excited about the outcome at the college but they also want to work with state legislators to come up with a different way of funding for school districts. She feels it is becoming harder and harder for local school districts to pass millages.

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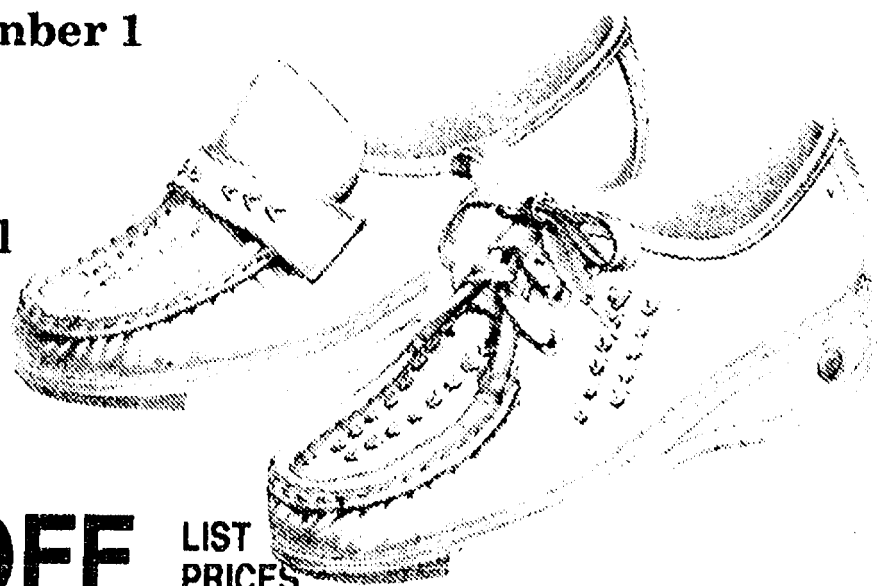
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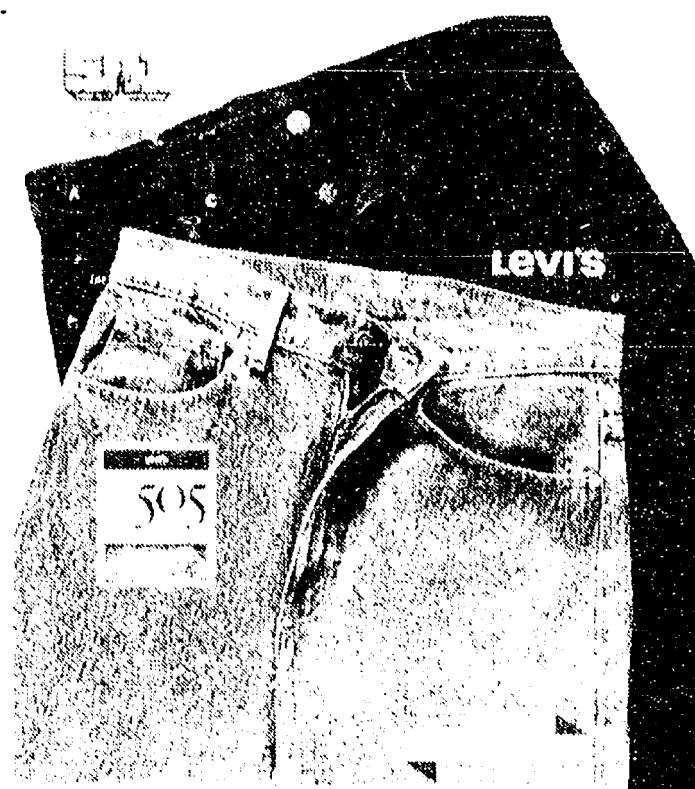
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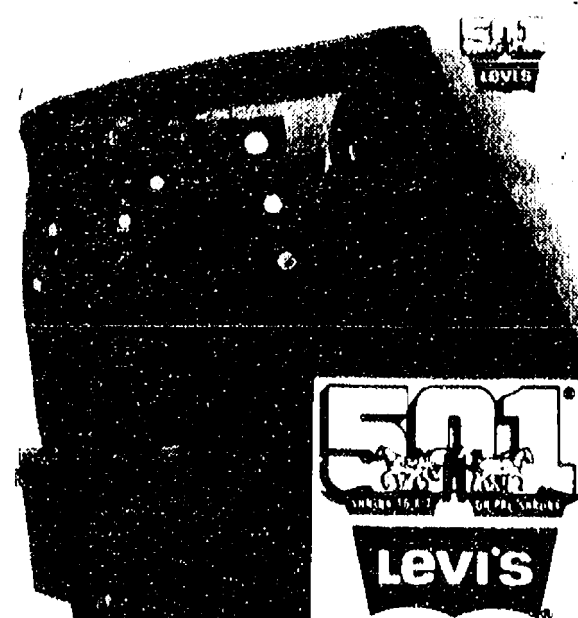


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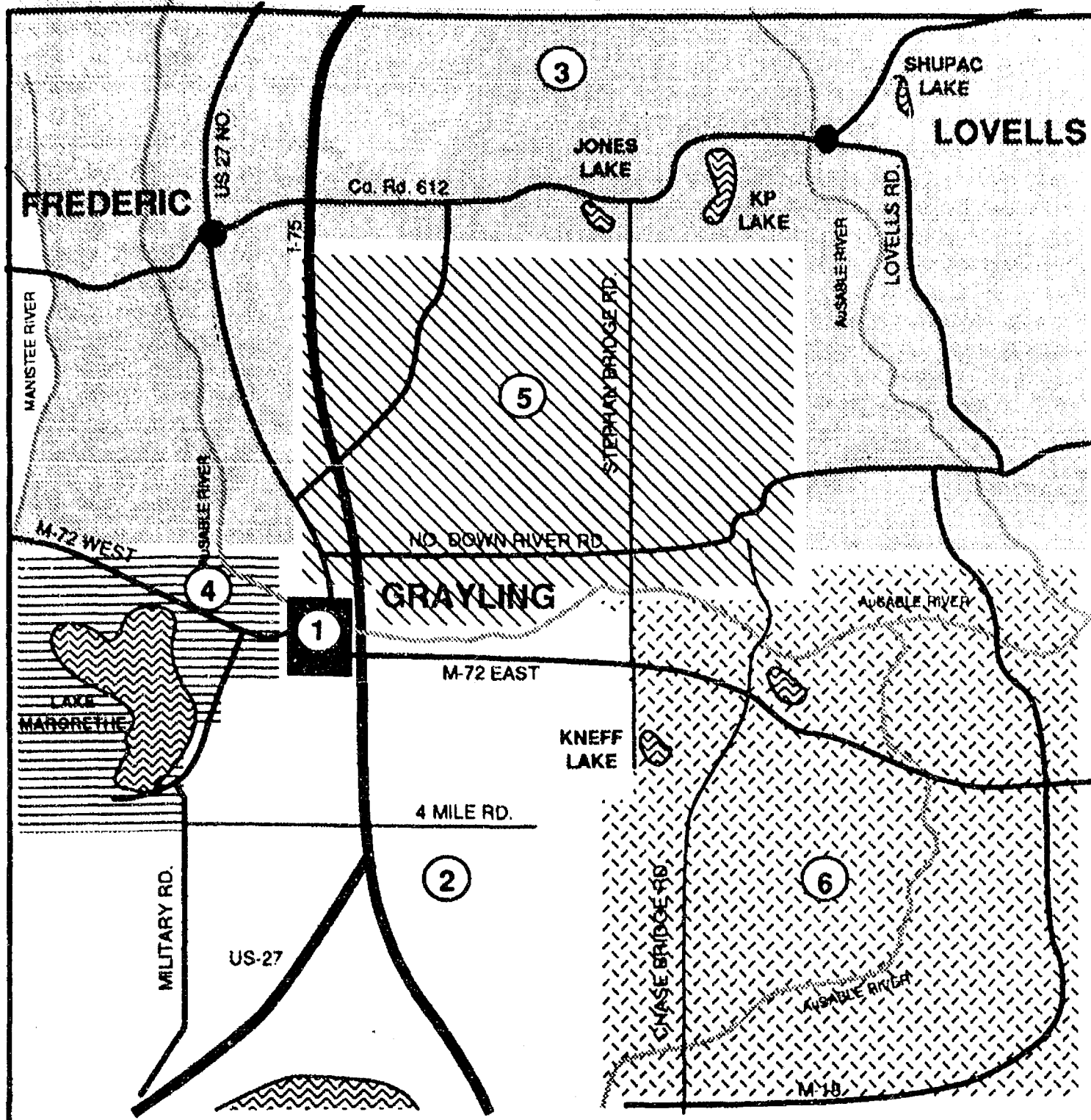


Remember Entire Lot Of **Free Parking** In **The Grayling Mall**



Approximate District Areas

(See written descriptions for precise boundaries)



COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICTS

1990 CRAWFORD COUNTY REAPPORTIONMENT PLAN - ADOPTED AUGUST 27, 1991

Dist. No.	District	Population
#1	City of Grayling	1944
#2	Beaver Creek Township and that portion of Grayling Township lying East of Military Road to M-93, East of M-93 to Old Lake Road, South of Old Lake Road to M-72/M-93, Southeastly of M-72/M-93 to the City Limits, South of the AuSable River Main Stream and West of Stephan Bridge Road.	1876
#3	Frederic, Maple Forest, and Lovells Townships	2086
#4	That portion of Grayling Township lying West of Military Road to M-93, West of M-93 to Old Lake Road, North of Old Lake Road to M-72/M-93, North of M-72/M-93 to the City limits, North along the City limits to Old US-27/M-93/I-75 Bus Loop and West of Old US-27/M-93/I-75 Bus Loop	1932
#5	That portion of Grayling Township lying North of the AuSable River Main Stream and East of Old US-27/M-93/I-75 Bus Loop	2001
#6	South Branch Township and that portion of Grayling Township lying East of Stephan Bridge Road and South of the AuSable River Main Stream	1979
TOTAL		11818
State Institution residents		442
TOTAL		12260

One Less Commissioner

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legal parameters of each proposal, according to the state's criteria, and through the process of elimination stated that the six-member board most closely meets the criteria.

"All five members of the commission worked together to draft a non-partisan plan that will best serve the interests of Crawford County for the next ten years," said Horton. "And I feel we did that."

There is both agreement and disagreement to Horton's statement among commissioners.

Goodale, who now represents portions of Grayling Township and the City of Grayling, agrees with the reapportionment commission's new plan, saying "No one really wants to see the county cut by one commissioner, but after looking at the map and seeing where the lines were drawn, I think it is the fairest plan for the county." Goodale said he intends to run for the commissioner's seat in his new district and said if Riley also decides to run, either person could "do a good job for the district and the county."

Commissioners Riley and Callewaert are not happy with the new re-districting plan.

"I'm sure there was no ill intent," said Riley, "but they (members of the

reapportionment commission) were so concerned about following state guidelines that they forgot about the county and how the people of the county are represented. I find it difficult to understand," he continued, "how, with our rather large increase in population, the commission could decide to decrease the number of representatives in the county." Riley represents all of Beaver Creek Township and a portion of South Branch Township.

Callewaert is extremely upset by the six-member plan that takes Lovells Township away from him and combines it with Maple Forest and Frederic townships.

"There are no coincidences in politics," he stated. "The one commissioner to be disposed of will come from a rural township giving the residents in Lovells, Maple Forest and Frederic townships only 1/3 vote each because there will be only one commissioner for all three townships. South Branch, which was represented by two commissioners, will now be represented by only one." Callewaert predicted that within ten years, precincts in these districts will be complaining about taxation without representation.

"I don't think a six-member board is going to reduce representation for county residents," said Wakeley. "Ev-

eryone will still have a county commissioner and now all townships and the city, with the exception of Grayling Township, will be represented by the same person and to me, that is better than having townships cut into pieces, if the population doesn't require it." Wakeley said one of the seven-member plans would have left Frederic Township whole except for 43 people who would have been part of Grayling Township.

"This would have forced Frederic to have a separate set of ballots printed for however many registered voters are included in the 43 people in this area," he said. "The other seven-member plan kept the city whole except for 294 people that would have been included in Grayling Township."

"We knew from the first day someone was going to be unhappy," said Crawford County chairperson of the Republican Party Pat Thomas. "We could not consider current commissioners in terms of where they live and try to maintain those boundaries because that would have meant gerrymandering and that is a violation of state law."

"Given the statutory guidelines we were responsible to comply with, the six member plan was the only one that met every single guideline," concluded Thomas.

\$115,000 Deficit

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BUDGET CUTS EFFECT ON COUNTY SERVICES

Although the overtime freeze is in effect for all county departments, the department most affected will be the Sheriff Dept.

"We're the only department that is mandatory 24-hours per day, seven days a week," said Sheriff Harold Hatfield.

Hatfield said the county has a contract with the road officers of his department containing a minimum staffing clause. This clause states that there will be two officers on duty during the hours of darkness.

"They can be in separate cars or they can ride together," he explained, "but after dark one road officer cannot work alone."

"This contract does not say that, during the hours of darkness, if one officer does not show up for work that the other officer won't go on the road," said undersheriff Tom Coors. "It says there will be two officers on duty regardless."

If one officer comes to work and the second officer calls in sick and the overtime freeze prevents the Sheriff department from calling in a replacement, Hatfield said the officer on duty will not be allowed to respond to calls away from the station.

"Our weekly complaint log is running between 98 to 118 and most of those complaints happen after dark," he stated.

Coors said the first time an officer is not replaced, for whatever reason, a class action grievance will be filed by the officers involved. If the county responds to the grievance by discontinuing its overtime freeze, the county will still have to pay every road officer who lost hours because of the freeze.

"Minimum staffing was negotiated into the contract for the safety of the officer on the road," said jail administrator and vice-president of the Michigan LT Mike Johnson. "There are 576 square miles in the county and we're not going to let one officer go out there by himself after dark. We are not going to put a price on the protection

of our officers."

PROBATE COURT'S CHILD CARE FUND

"Crawford County is required by law to pay for this fund," said Wakeley. "So far Child Care Fund expenses have been down, but we have to be careful that we don't cut so much that we find ourselves in a position of having to put money back in the fund because of additional placements."

Probate Judge John Hunter said he did not anticipate the \$7,000 cut would affect child care services to the county's youth.

"Rather than automatically placing children in foster care or institutions we use hands on involvement with the children in our care," said Judge Hunter. "Placement outside the home is a last resort."

Judge Hunter said by making placement a last resort, his department has saved the county more than \$46,000 each year since he took office in 1989.

"Saving the county has been a residual byproduct of our program," he explained, "but it was never our goal." Judge Hunter said his goal is to work effectively with the county's delinquent youths to get them back on track and to help glue together the lives of young victims. He said the lack of recidivism is proving the program's merit.

"But this savings can go right out the window," he said, "if we have to place a young offender in an institution that can cost the county as much as \$180 per day. That's a whole year's budget for one child."

The total 1991 Child Care Fund was budgeted at \$42,000 and Judge Hunter anticipated costs will run about \$35,000.

NORTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH

During a telephone interview on Thursday, September 12, North Central Community Mental Health business administrator Bruce Bridges said the county does not have the option to cut their mental health budget.

"They can either participate in good faith," he said, "or they can withdraw from the program." Bridges said the

county has several choices. These include forming their own mental health board (if the state will allow it), go with a different county, or pay ten percent of the county's mental health costs which would cost \$80,000. Bridges said Crawford County is currently paying North Central Community Mental Health about \$48,000 to provide for its residents' mental health needs and that the county's appropriation has been reduced by \$500 every year since 1983.

DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT #1

Environmental health administrator Bruce Reynolds said the public health department receives its funding from a number of sources including federal, state, and county governmental agencies. He said because of this diversified funding it was difficult to respond to Crawford County's recent cuts until a full budget is developed. District Health Department #1 is comprised of four counties that includes Crawford County.

"Crawford County's cut may not have a significant impact, but if all four counties cut their appropriations proportionately, it could have a significant impact on services," he said.

Reynolds said traditional basic public health services provided by the public health nurse and sanitation engineer are partially funded by county appropriations, but many other programs such as WIC and medicaid screening are funded by state and federal dollars and would not be affected by county budget cuts.

Crawford County's appropriation makes up about 20% of the health department's county appropriations.

GRAYLING AIRPORT

Since \$15,000 was the total appropriation allotted to the Grayling Airport in 1991, the recent cut reduced the airport budget to zero.

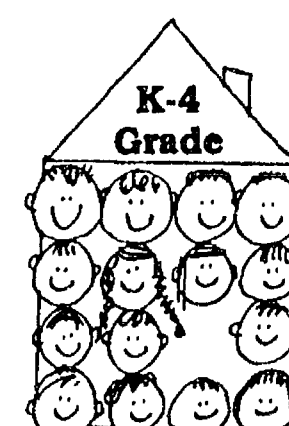
Airport administrator Dave Frederick declined to say how the cut would affect airport operations, saying only that he is confident that the board of commissioners have a plan to keep things going.

"I don't know what it is right now," he said, "but I'm sure they have one."

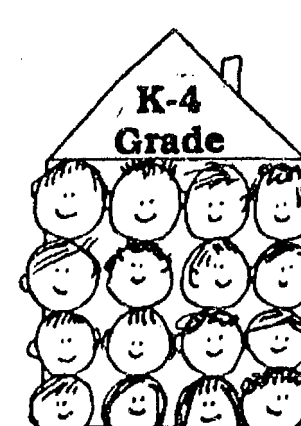
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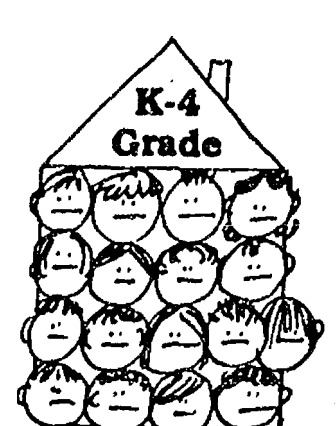
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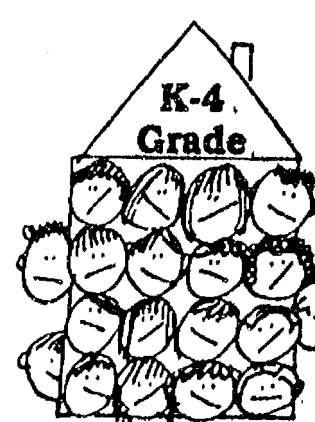
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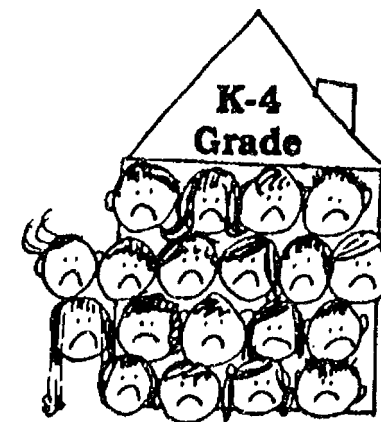
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Crawford County 1985-1990

"Final population figures released today by the U.S. Census Bureau show that Crawford County, which includes the City of Grayling, had the fastest growth rate in Michigan with a 29.5 percent rise over its 1980 population estimate."

The Bay City Times
Thursday, January 24, 1991

CUT THE KID KRUNCH

Vote "YES" Sept. 25

Pd. for by the Committee For Excellence in Education

Don't Return To 1970 School Conditions Here

I am writing in response to the letter from Gerald Worden (Thursday, September 12, 1991).

While I do not live in the Crawford/AuSable School District, I was born in Grayling and lived there for 26 years. Moreover, my family and friends still reside in Grayling and many of my friends have children who are or will be attending Grayling public schools. I am writing this letter for the benefit of those children.

In his letter, Mr. Worden urges people not to vote for the upcoming millage because Crawford County's tax base increased 493% between 1970 and 1990. This letter caused me to think of my 1969-1970 school year. I was in eighth grade at the time and, because of overcrowding, had to attend classes in the "portables." I am sure my classmates will fondly remember the portables which were nothing more than double-wide mobile homes parked on the lawn of what is now the middle school. The best thing I can say about the portables is that the floors bounced, the ceiling tiles fell,

and you could hear every word from the adjoining classrooms. I particularly remember the odor on cold, damp days when the windows (the only source of ventilation) could not be opened.

Of course, if you were fortunate enough to be in high school during that year, you attended classes in the old building which now houses the middle school. I can still remember being in the library and hearing the echoes from the study hall which was separated by only a bookcase. During high school, you could take only one year of chemistry, one year of physics, and algebra was the most advanced math course offered. I will never forget my first day of chemistry at the University of Michigan in which my lab partner said not to worry because he had done all of the chemical experiments during his freshman year of high school. When informed that I could only take chemistry during my junior year in high school and that experiments were limited because we only had four Bunsen burners, he laughed and said he had majored in chemistry and had taken five classes,

including organic chemistry.

Lunches during the 69-70 school year were spent on the mezzanine of what is now the middle school's gym. It was always a pleasure to be crammed into such a small space while two gym classes with sweating bodies entertained us on the gym floor below. My peanut butter sandwiches have never tasted the same.

The best part about that school year, however, was the fact that, with the addition of the portables, we did not have to have a split schedule. During the previous two years, we attended classes either from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. or from 12 noon to 5 p.m. This caused us to lose our state accreditation and there was some question whether people from our school district would be able to attend colleges such as the University of Michigan. The portables allowed us to return to a regular class schedule and, thus, were somewhat of a blessing in disguise.

In the 1973-1974 school year, the new high school was opened and the situation began to dramatically

improve. Since that time, I have seen many students from the Grayling school system go on to college and/or the business world quite successfully. Many of them have returned to the Grayling area to raise families and are a tremendous asset to the community. In great part, due to the efforts of the volunteer school board, the underpaid teachers and school administrators, I was able to successfully attend the University of Michigan and then to graduate from law school with honors. Given the tremendous competition at the college level and in the business community, I would never want anyone to be educated in a facility such as Grayling had in 1970. It was simply a huge disadvantage.

As I mentioned before, I do not live in your school district — I live in the East Jordan school district. However, I do pay a substantial amount in property taxes in support of our State's school systems. Additionally, I have never voted against a millage election despite the fact that I do not have children and pay more than my fair share. Education is simply too

important. Overcrowding is, undeniably, the single greatest hindrance to a good, competitive education. You simply must have a low student-teacher ratio — which can overcome other defects. Children from other school districts who will be competing against your children for positions at universities and in the job market are being exposed to a tremendous amount of material, information and experience which must be made available to Grayling students.

Finally, I always find it interesting that during millage elections, voters attack the teachers, the administration or both. Meanwhile, it never ceases to amaze me that those same voters will

continue to elect state officials, such as Ralph Ostling, who have never come up with a proposals to resolve inequitable funding of our education system. Maybe it's time for people like Mr. Worden to stop attacking our teachers, who really do care and who, will somehow, some way, still provide an excellent education for our children and start asking "Ralph, what have you done for me lately?"

I urge your readers to support your schools, support your teachers and support your children. Do not return to 1970. Vote "yes" for the millage and then vote for legislators who will work to correct an unjust system of school funding.

Richard E. Joseph

Opinions

To Attract New Doctors, We Need To Show We Have Quality Schools

Crawford County voters will again make an impact on the educational future of the youth of our community on Wednesday, September 25, when they go to the polls and vote on the proposed package to build and support a new elementary school. As Mercy Hospital actively recruits new physicians to the area, we thought it important to again outline the

connection between quality schools and the medical community.

Many of the physicians and professional staff we speak with have young, growing families. They are understandably concerned with the quality of the school system and the environment their children will be educated in. Obviously the crunching

of students into classrooms isn't an attractive selling point to physicians looking at Grayling for the first time. Therefore, Mercy Hospital hopes that voters of all ages would recognize the need for quality schools.

To attract new physicians we need to show that we not only care about our doctors... we care about our schools and the educational needs of our

community. Grayling is a growing community and as the population increases, so does the need for classroom space. We urge everyone to take the time to vote on this important issue.

Noreen Davis
Vice President
Patient Care Services/Operations

Overcrowding Is Root Of Problems

The beginning of the 1991 school year for the Crawford AuSable Schools has been one filled with negative feelings, fingerpointing, and trauma for many of our children.

Every parent involved is looking out for the best interest of their child and each is to be truly commended for standing up aggressively for these interests.

If everyone would stand back for a few minutes and try to look objectively at the problems they and their children have encountered, they would find that each and every one has at its root been due to overcrowding within the Crawford AuSable Schools. We can blame the school board, the

superintendent, the principals, or anyone we wish to, but that is never going to solve the very serious and

very real concerns before us.

There is only one solution — stop placing blame, turn the negative energy

Change Would Increase Car Insurance Costs

An editorial in the Detroit Free Press on Sept. 9 indicates that State Insurance Commissioner David Dykhouse wants to abolish the use of geographical territories as the main basis for setting car insurance rates. The effect of such action would be twofold:

1. A sharp reduction in the cost of car insurance in high loss (stolen cars,

expensive accidents) areas like Detroit and Wayne County.

2. A sharp increase in car insurance in low loss areas like Crawford County!

I urge everyone to write Gov. Engler, Rep. Ostling, Sen. Pridnia, and David Dykhouse, and express your opposition to this proposed action.

Earl Whaley
Grayling

into positive action, obtain a sense of empowerment within our community and push to pass the September 25 Bond Issue and Millage Increase.

The overcrowding is real! Ask all those parents and students affected by it! It is real in 1991 and will continue to be for years to come. But now we are not powerless to do something about it. We have the power of our vote!

I know my children are worth it and I certainly believe yours are too!

Sandra Kay Shellfish
Grayling

Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy

The old man is kind of shook up right now. Carolyn, my bride for near forty-two years has found she has cancer. We pray that surgery will be able to take it all out but any prayers you may offer will be appreciated by both of us. Yes, it has been near forty-two years since we exchanged our wedding vows and though we have had our crests and valleys we have stuck it out. Two children blessed our marriage, Linda and Micheal. Linda married Bernard Bentley and two grandchildren Lori and David have been a source of pride for us. Soon the old man will be a great grandfather. When my own childhood lies so close in memory, it is hard to believe all those years have slipped away.

Speaking of childhood the next month or so were a very busy time of year. We had corn to cut and potatoes to dig. Cutting maybe ten acres of corn was no fun when all you had to work with was a corn knife. Each swing of the knife would cut off a hill of corn which you gathered in your arms until you had enough to tie into a bundle. The bundles you tied together to form a shock, about eight bundles to a shock. They were left in the field to dry the ears of corn until after the potatoes were dug and stored away. Then you could spend a lot of

hours husking corn. Talk about rough on the hands, you used a husking peg, which was a piece of metal with straps to fasten it to your hand. The peg stuck up near your right thumb and was used to pull the husk from the ear of corn. By the time you got to husking corn the weather was pretty cold. You could wear a glove on the hand with the peg but the other hand was bare. You soon learned to use the peg with either hand so you could switch back and forth to keep from freezing your fingers. Soon both hands were nicked up by the dry corn husks and the skin dried out. There is a product on the market called Corn Huskers lotion which was a big help for your sore hands. After most of the corn was husked, the ears of corn went into the corn crib and the stalks were hauled in for fodder for the cattle.

Another reason I used to kind of dread this time of year was that the calves I had played nursemaid to all summer had reached their three hundred pound weight and were prime for the market. I used to hate to load them up to go to the Gaylord livestock auction. Still I knew it had to be done if we were to make it through the winter on the feed we had.

Don't Make Our Children Victims

By Irene Pettyjohn

When my two daughters approached school age several years ago, my husband and I decided to explore the possibility of enrolling them in a parochial school instead of public school. I called several schools in surrounding communities and learned that tuition costs were between \$2,500 and \$3,500 per child, per year. In addition to tuition costs we would also be responsible for their transportation. Needless to say, we decided to stay with the Crawford AuSable schools, but ever since that time I have viewed my annual school tax bill differently than I had previously.

It made me aware that the portion of my summer taxes stipulated for the Crawford AuSable Schools could not be the total cost of my children's education. If it was going to cost at least \$2,500 tuition for each child to attend private school, how can the administrators of our public schools educate both my children for \$875.87, my 1991 tax payment to the Crawford AuSable schools? Sure, some money comes to the school in the form of state aid, but some also comes from my neighbors whose children are not old enough to go to school yet, or have already completed school, or from those who never had children. This realization has given me new appreciation of the generosity of all the people in my community who pay their school taxes regularly so that we can afford to educate our children. I hope I continue this generosity when my children are out of school and I am tempted to grumble about my taxes.

Now the Crawford AuSable Board of Education is asking everyone to vote to approve two bond issues. The first is to build a second elementary school in Grayling to house kindergarten through fifth grades and the second for operational money to furnish and staff the new building. They need more space and space costs money.

I was a member of the infrastructure committee that looked into the various options available to solve the district's overcrowding, and make no mistake the Grayling Elementary and Middle schools are bulging at the seams. The Grayling Elementary is busing its overload (a non-personal term for the children they don't have room for) nine miles up the road to the Frederic Elementary School. The Grayling Middle School is "making do."

The committee looked into building onto the Grayling Elementary School and decided with 625 students it was already too large. Building onto the Frederic Elementary School would create an even bigger busing problem. We looked into year-round school and found that it would not give us enough space. The only solution we could come up with was a new school in Grayling built near the present elementary school so that some services and building space could be shared, avoiding duplicity. The committee tried to come up with a plan that would accommodate the current student population and allow for some growth in the future. The architectural design selected by the school board is simple yet functional.

I believe it is imperative that we get teachers out of closets, children out of hallways, and provide enough classroom space to allow the educational process to continue.

Standing in a polling booth, about to add more to an already heavy tax bill, is difficult. Property taxes in Crawford County are high, I can't argue that fact. But taxes are high because the government owns more than 70 percent of the property here and pays only a paltry swamp tax. This means that the business and property owners have to carry a heavier burden in order to pay for necessities like road maintenance, police protection, and the education of our children.

I am all in favor of property tax reform, but that will only happen after every taxpayer in Michigan presses their legislators to change how school revenues are gathered. Our children should not be part of that fight, but when residents withhold their "yes" vote for vitally needed classrooms because they are angry about high taxes, our children become the victims.

I was so proud of the residents in the Kirtland Community College district last week when they made the difficult "right" decision to increase the operational millage for the college. On September 25, let's make it two in a row.

Almanack

Richard Millman

Brown? Nader? Harkin? Et al?

IT'S BEGINNING TO look like the Democratic Party is not going to concede the presidency to George Bush for another four years after all.

One other candidate has entered the field, and a couple more are either pushing themselves or being pushed by someone else. And nobody else has dropped out lately, either.

There may be a political rally or two in Iowa or up in New Hampshire yet.

The only avowed candidate so far is former Sen. Paul Tsongas of Massachusetts. As an announced candidate, Mr. Tsongas must be mentioned every time someone writes a speculative piece about the presidential race — such as this modest essay — and must be included every time a TV pundit does a roundup.

That's earning Mr. Tsongas more national exposure than he's had the rest of his life so far.

BUT THERE ARE OTHER stirrings, too.

Out in California, former Gov. Jerry Brown indicated he is running again for president. He has formed the mandatory "exploratory committee" and has filed with the Federal Election Commission so he can collect and spend money without problems.

Mr. Brown had been intending to run for the senate seat being vacated by the ailing Sen. Alan Cranston, who is not running again. Mr. Cranston is "ailing" both physically, from cancer problems, and ethically,

from savings-and-loan problems.

Mr. Brown likely would have been a strong candidate for the senate. He had already been elected governor a couple of times, his father had been elected governor before him, and his sister had been elected state treasurer. The Browns have a winning reputation in California.

Running for president is something else. Father Pat Brown never made it, although he thought seriously about it. Son Jerry, in two previous tries, has come up short, too.

But 1992 is a strange year, and will likely get stranger. It might just fit a hopeful such as Jerry Brown, who in the past has been referred to as a "candidate from outer space."

HOW ABOUT NADER? — Meanwhile, out on the East Coast, some friends and associates of consumer activist Ralph Nader want him to run, and they say he is "thinking about it."

Two former "Nader Raiders" have filed papers with the Federal Elections Commission for a new group called The Committee to Draft Ralph Nader for President. Mr. Nader himself has not commented as of this writing.

Joan Claybrook, a close friend of Mr. Nader who also has been active in auto safety and other consumer-related activities, is quoted as saying: "He might be persuaded. He is thinking about it."

Mr. Nader has not held office before. His record to date has been in social activism rather than elective politics. He was considered by George

McGovern for vice president in 1972, and rejected draft efforts in the 1976 campaign year.

He probably won't run this time either; but, as noted earlier, 1992 promised to be a screwball type of year, when the unexpected can be almost predictable.

AND THEN THERE'S the whole list of to usual possibilities.

Sen. Tom Harkin from Iowa was in Michigan for a couple of days recently, saying all the things that make liberal Democrats swoon at their rallies.

"We ought to be for middle-income people and not the people on top," the touring Mr. Harkin told a Macomb County Democratic throng, "because the rich are getting richer, and poor are getting poorer and the middle class is paying the freight both ways."

Gov. Douglas Wilder of Virginia continues to pursue his possible candidacy; he seems to have a commuter pass to New Hampshire.

Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton and Sen. Bob Kerry of Nebraska "seem to be getting closer" to candidacy, according to a recent Gannett News Service article.

Hesitancy by the Democrats is understandable. A USA Today poll in late August showed President Bush with an approval rating of 78 percent. Of course, that could change.

And, politics in 1992 is simply unpredictable. Strange things can happen.

Vote Yes And Help Someone Else's Daughter

One day this summer my daughter brought me the mail at the clothesline, to our surprise SHE WON THE LOTTERY DRAWING! "You get to go to Frederic Elementary!", I said, sounding as bubbly as I could. She took the letter with her to the house in tears. I joined her after a few minutes and explained, "It's your turn, your older brother went for two years, and loved the school. (She was scared!)"

The pre-first day of school tour Mr. Nunn gave us was a good idea, she met her teacher, saw her room and became reacquainted with Mr. Nunn. (Then

big brother was convinced he also wanted to return to Frederic El.)

At the end of the first week she came off the bus with a headache, went straight up to her room and straight to bed. Cleaning out tote bags I discovered her "note to mom," (describing the long bus ride). My heart sank! With a glass of root beer in hand we sat together at the edge of her bed and the story unfolds. . . two kindergartners on the Frederic bus wet themselves and she had to sit with them. Her bus has four in a seat and she's smashed — (It took them two

hours and five minutes to get home that night!) She slept.

I read last week's article of the child whose parents stood their ground and refused to have their daughter take her turn. I thought, ok! If you feel that strongly, but this attitude that I hear and read about: "If they're already being bused send them on to Frederic, leave us alone, we can walk to school." Is it fair for my children to ride the bus at 7:20 a.m. and never arrive home again until as late as 5 p.m.? No, I think not! But my children will respect the fact that it's their turn, but each

time I read her note I think "what can I do?" Vote yes, I guess, and help someone else's daughter so they won't come home with headaches on Thursday and Friday and need to go to bed for an hour or so.

Maybe some of you don't have children in school so why should you vote yes. I feel my daughter's note should give even the coldest hearted voter one reason.

We've heard all the numbers from Mr. Reynolds, all the problems of space from Mrs. Mick, but the children can and do physically suffer from this

added bus trip, it's too much to ask — but it's only for 180 days, twice a day . . .

Frederic school offers a wonderful learning experience, our oldest son will have attended Grayling Elementary three years and Frederic Elementary three years. Mr. and Mrs. David Hawkins organized Developmental Kindergarten and Primary First and it was the most positive step in learning and it was his first step. We are grateful that this program was available in our district, it would have made life easier for this

to be at the Grayling Elementary, but we did what was best with what was available.

My children arrive home late. I leave for work at 5 p.m., four nights a week, my husband and the children manage, you can! We know Frederic Elementary is worth it, the teachers are the finest in our district but when I read her note, I read between the lines and I wonder . . .

Margaret and Lindsey Knapp
Grayling

Overcrowded Conditions Are Not What Children Deserve

A few months ago, I had the opportunity to visit the Grayling Elementary School. I had not visited the school in several years, and was shocked at the conditions that exist in the school. The overcrowding is apparent to anyone who will take the time to look. Supplies are stacked in the hallways, the speech therapist is using a storage closet, which she decorated on her own time to make it more cheerful, and I can unequivocally state that the conditions are not what

any of us would want for our children or grandchildren.

I have had occasion to talk to many people in my age group and older who have indicated they will not vote for the millage because they do not have children in school. I shake my head in wonder at how we got to this state. What has happened to our sense of "community"? Most of the people I have talked to have grown children who attended a school. How soon we forget that as young parents, it was the

whole community who gave our children their education, without the support of everyone we could not have done it alone.

Further, have we given thought to the kind of community we will have when we have school age children who have idle hours, because the school days are short? Have we given thought to the fact that in just a few short years, many of these kids will be voting members of society, and will be deciding our futures? How will

they feel about supporting Senior Programs, and other community enhancement programs, when we showed no concern for their educational opportunities? I ask everyone who reads this to go to the Elementary School, and see for themselves.

I am not altogether ignorant of the fact that many of our citizens are on fixed incomes. I am one of them, but the fact remains our kids are our future. From a purely selfish point of view, I

want our young people to respect me, and all of our senior citizens, but we must earn that respect, in the hopes that they will be concerned about our needs when they too become voters. No one wants higher taxes in this day and age, however, I would remind you that if you are in the low to middle income tax bracket, you are eligible for a tax rebate, therefore, a yes vote will not cost you anything. There are people available at the Senior Center at tax time who will help you free of

charge. I implore every member of the community to consider the benefits you have had, your children have had, and I hope you come to the conclusion, that our young people of today deserve the same benefits. We all know the world is changing rapidly, you do not have to be a scholar to recognize that if your children and grandchildren are to have a chance in life, we need to give them that chance!

Pat Thomas

Changes Proposed By State, Not Shawono Center Staff

Recently there have been quite a few comments concerning the staff and residents of the Shawono Center. As president of the Citizens Advisory Board for the Shawono Center, I have had the opportunity to have a fair amount of contact with the young men of the center. From what I have read and heard lately, I feel some people in

the community may not have all the information about recent state proposed policies to educate residents of these centers in public schools throughout the state..

1. Neither the staff or residents of Shawono Center have anything to do with these proposed policies. They

are probably just as opposed as area residents. Yet they seem to be caught right in the center of the controversy and are receiving much criticism.

2. The residents of the Shawono Center would probably be just as uncomfortable in the Crawford County School system as the residents of the

area would be.

3. The teachers in these centers receive no seniority in the public schools while teaching in these centers. As such, many of these teachers would be put back on the job market vying for jobs with little or no seniority accumulated with the state school system.

Although the residents of the Shawono Center are there for good

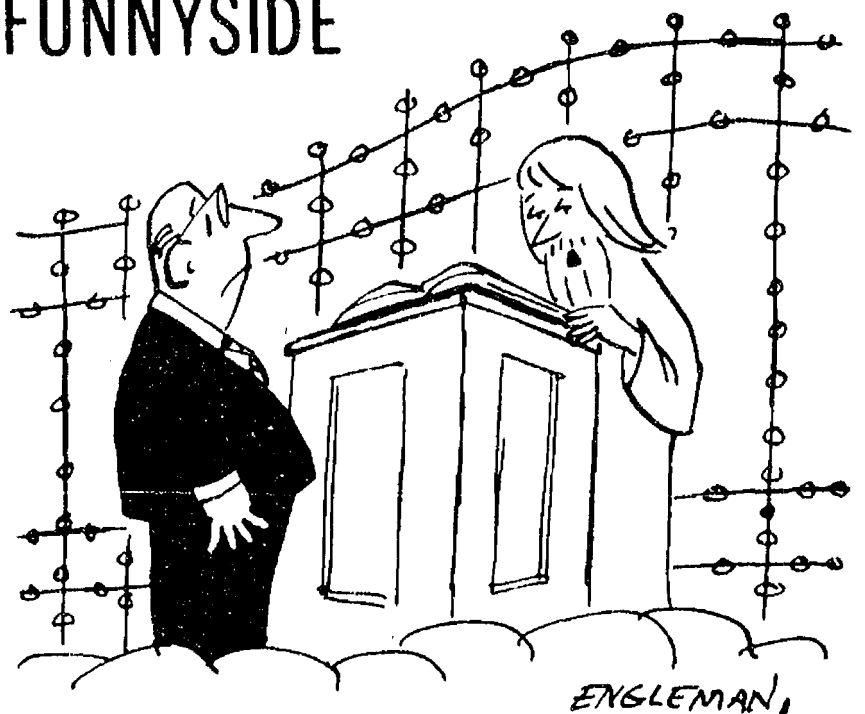
reasons, many are doing more than an impressive job of putting their lives back together and I think the kids deserve a pat on the back for many recent community efforts, which include: assistance in Red Cross Blood Drives, helping the kids participating in the Special Olympics, working in recent County Fairs, river bank improvement on the Manistee in conjunction with the DNR, assisting

some local families who were having crisis situations, and a great effort with their entry in this year's Milltown Parade.

These proposed changes are coming from a state level and not a local one and as such, that is where the issues need to be addressed if changing the policies are in order.

Bruce McGuire
Grayling

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For she gave so much while she was
here,
Let her peace be her reward.
Loved and missed
by her children
and grandchildren.

Cards of Thanks

To Milltown Electric, Hebert Plumbing, and especially to Pride Construction, Gary Partlow & Sons, for the time and patience it took to reconstruct the outside and 1/2 the inside of our home. God bless and keep you always.

Mark & Jillian Poll

Cards of Thanks

Many thanks to my daughter and her husband, Ruth and Jess Cruz, for my lovely 92nd birthday party. Even the weather cooperated. A beautiful day, everything well planned and everything worked out just right. Now my next party will be for 100.

Edna Feldhauser.

Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin on September 20 and cease on September 25.

The Small Arms ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin on September 20 and cease on September 22.

Range 13, Mortar Range located south of the main post, bounded on the west by Cadillac Road and on the east by Carrier Road. Firing will begin on September 18 and cease on September 21.

Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin on September 18 and cease on September 25.

The Range 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. 197 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin on September 20 and cease on September 22.

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. 197 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be from September 18 through September 21, and September 23 through September 25.

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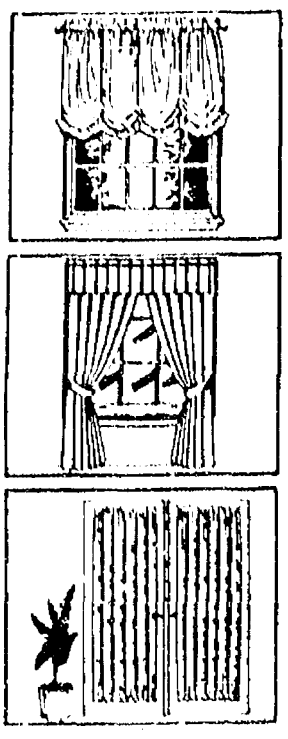
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6 Candidates Seek City Council Seats

Six candidates will be vying for three non-partisan seats on the Grayling City Council at the November 5 general election. These seats are currently being held by Mayor Robert Golnick, a councilman since April 10, 1967, Ralph Stevens, appointed May 13, 1991, to fill the seat vacated by Dorothy Latuszek, and Joseph White, who will not be seeking re-election.

Petitions were submitted before the Tuesday, September 10, 4:30 p.m. deadline by incumbents Robert B. Golnick, 1107 Ogemaw Street and Ralph Stevens, 502 Plum Street. Other candidates include D.J.

Brown, 802 Chestnut Street; Robert J. Ruddy, 507 Ottawa Street; Paul W. Smith, 405 Brink Street; and A. Donald Sorenson, 604 Park Street.

There are five seats on the City Council and each seat has a four-year term. Elections are held every two years with two seats open at one election and three seats open two years later. City manager Jerry Morford explained that by rotating the elections, at least two experienced council members are left in office, giving the council some continuity.

The three successful candidates will take office on the Monday following the election.

No Injuries Reported In Bus-Car Accident

A Crawford AuSable school bus collided with a car on Michigan Avenue after school on Thursday, September 12, after the bus failed to yield the right-of-way.

Assistant superintendent Paul Lerg said there were no reported injuries of children riding the bus. Neither driver was injured.

Dena Kolb, 57, driver of the bus, was entering Michigan Avenue from Conine Drive after leaving the Grayling Elementary School when she struck the vehicle driven by Robert Walter Hanson, 35, also of Grayling, pushing it 85 feet from the point of impact. Hanson was travelling southbound on Michigan Avenue when the

accident occurred.

Kolb said she did not see the oncoming car. Grayling City Chief of Police Peter Stephan said she apparently did not realize she had struck the car, stating she stopped the bus because she thought she had a flat tire.

Two witnesses confirmed these statements. There was heavy vehicular, bus, and pedestrian traffic when the accident occurred.

According to the district's standard procedure, Kolb has been suspended from driving a bus until the school completes its investigation.

Kolb was cited for failure to yield the right-of-way.

Kirtland Alumni Association Forming

The first organizational meeting of the Kirtland Alumni Association will be held on Monday, September 23, at 7 p.m. in the Kirtland Cafeteria.

The purpose of this meeting will be to elect officers and adopt bylaws. A brief history of the organizations, including activities that have been accompanied by the steering committee, will be discussed. Goals for the newly formed organization will also be set.

Anyone who has graduated from Kirtland with an Associate degree or Certificate of Completion is encouraged to attend.

AWANA Clubs Resume Meetings

AWANA clubs will resume at Calvary Baptist Church on Wednesday, September 25, at 7 p.m. The church is located on M-72 West. There will be games, singing, and Scripture memory. AWANA will be held every Wednesday night. Each night there will be a different theme. All children kindergarten and older are invited to attend.

DOS Demonstration Presented To Area Computer Club

The Grayling Regional Computer Club met on September 9 at the Grayling Senior Citizen Center. Phil Gibbs gave a demonstration on the new DOS 5.0 that has recently been put on the market. It encompasses all of the features of the former DOS systems plus many more. Anyone wishing information, may call Phil Gibbs or Ken Wright at Computerworks.

The next club meeting will be held on October 14.

Singing, Dancing Group Performing Here Sept. 26

Mainstream, a musical variety singing and dancing group will perform at the GHS Joseph Stripe Auditorium Thursday, Sept. 26. For ticket information, call the community school office.

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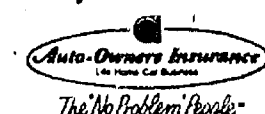


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8 Holes-In-One Scored This Year At Fox Run

Sue Mahoney of Roscommon is the latest local person to get a hole-in-one at Fox Run Country Club. Sue's achievement was on Hole #7 using a 3 iron on August 26th. Four others also ached #7, Ray Lang of Grayling on May 26th, Gerald Nowak on June 4th, Mark McReynolds on June 29th, and Kevin J. Fedewa of Lansing on August 25th.

Ron Bilawey of Mississauga, Ontario, ached #5 on July 27, while Dave Sadler of Milford, Michigan, also ached #5 on September 1st. Ray Leutz of St. Helen got his hole-in-one on #15 with a 6 iron on August 6th. During the full 1990 season there were 12 hole-in-ones at Fox Run. The 1991 season is not over yet.

Verse or Worse

By Joe Murphy

The Working Man

We look up at great tall buildings
That took a team of architects to design
And forget it was the working man
Who made reality of the dreams in their mind

For what good is the design on paper
Without those working men to make it real
Those men who sweated pouring concrete
Or those brave men who raised the steel

Those men who raised and riveted the girders
As the building reached for the sky
Men who were at home high in the air
Who almost believed they could fly

It was with their sweat such things are built
What some folks call the common working man
The one who labors hard each day to earn their pay
Who makes real another's plan

Some men sit in air conditioned comfort
While others sweat in the blazing sun
Or spend their days on the production line
Doing a job that must be done

If it were not for the common working man
Out there doing his job each day
Our lives would not be worth living
Soon all men would pass away

So let's hear it for the wage slave
Those men who labor their lives away
Who made this world the kind of place
That we all enjoy today



K OF C SCHOLARSHIPS--Phil Savoie, K of C Grand Knight, left, and Paul Elekonich, chairman of the K of C scholarship committee, right, presented \$500 scholarships to Jay Ruddy, in his 3rd year at Lansing Community College, Cheryl Barber, in her 3rd year at Central Michigan University (middle), and Jannice LaDuke, in her 3rd year at CMU. Also receiving a scholarship but not pictured is Carolyn Trudgeon attending Olivet.

Grayling Recreation Authority

Aerobic Dance Classes

Getting that cooler weather blah! Worried about losing that summer shape or want to get into shape? Then come join us for a workout! The Aerobic Dance class will increase your strength, flexibility, and energy level while having fun. Classes meet on Tuesday and Thursday nights from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., at the Hanson Hills Recreation Area. Our low cost fee of \$3.50 per session or \$9 for a week. For more information about this program, contact the Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266.

Halloween Spookfest

BOO! EKKK!! AHHH!! Look what's coming this Halloween! It's the first annual Halloween Spookfest. The Grayling Recreation Authority along with many local businesses and organizations are planning a fun-filled night for everyone. There will be a costume contest, games, refreshments, prizes, spookhouse, and many more fun and exciting things to do during the evening. The program will start at 6 p.m. and end at 9 p.m. Early registration is recommended by calling 348-9266.

If you or your business/organization would like to donate or volunteer, please call the Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266.

CPR Classes

Registrations are now being taken by the Grayling Recreation Authority for CPR classes.

American Red Cross Community CPR classes are designed to teach life saving skills used in respiratory and cardiac emergencies. Community CPR will be held Tuesdays, October 8 and 15, from 6 to 10 p.m. Fee for this program is \$30.

American Red Cross Basic Life Support classes are foundation classes for Professional Rescuer Skills i.e. EMT, Ski Patrol only. This class will be held October 22, from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Fee for this class will be \$30.

American Red Cross BLS Review and Recertification Class will be held

on Tuesday, October 29, from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. This class is for yearly recertification of Basic Life Support. Fee for this class will be \$25.

All classes will meet at the Hanson Hills Recreation Area, Old Lake Road, Grayling. For more registration information, please contact the Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266.

Ladies Volleyball

The Ladies fall volleyball league will be starting October 7. Teams will need at least six players. Team fee is \$100. There will be six regular season games plus a double elimination tournament. Games will be played in the Activity Center at the Hanson Hills Recreation Area. Hurry and get your team together, registration deadline is October 1. For more information contact the Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266.

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

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Proposals must be submitted by September 30, 1991, to: 806 W. Houghton Ave., West Branch, MI, 48661. District Health Department No. 2 reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

-19-26/8

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON INCREASING PROPERTY TAXES

The BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS of the COUNTY OF CRAWFORD will hold a Public Hearing on a proposed increase of .54413 in the operating tax millage rate to be levied in 1991.

The meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 25, 1991, at 11:00 o'clock in the a.m. at Crawford County Courthouse, 200 W. Main St., Grayling, MI, 49738.

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 7.30% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing.

The taxing unit publishing this notice, and identified below, has complete authority to establish the number of mills to be levied from within its authorized millage rate.

This notice is published by:

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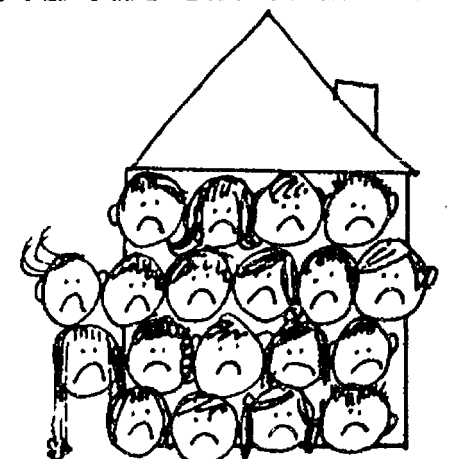
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* .09¢ per hour - Based On "Average" Home Owner With \$800 Annual Property Tax, Divided By 8,760 Hours In 1 Year.

** .007¢ per hour - Based On Property Tax Increased To "Average" Homeowner If September 25 Bond Issue and Operational Millage Succeeds.

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Chamber of Commerce Update

New Business Feature:

CLEAN SWEEP...

If these two words caught your attention than you will want to make yourself familiar with "Reliable Supply & Equipment Co." that will be opening its doors later this month. The Grayling based business is located on Ingham Street across from Ray's Canoeing and the Fly Factory.

Reliable Supply owner, Michael Tironi, has been in the janitorial business since he was seventeen. Since that time he has operated his own janitorial service downstate. He is familiar with residential, large retail, and industrial janitorial accounts. However, Reliable Supply & Equipment Co. is not a Janitorial Service but a supply company. The unique feature of Reliable Supply is the fact that the wholesale products and equipment utilized by professional cleaners and janitorial services is now available for rent or purchase to the general public. This means that the public, not just professionals or businesses, will be able to receive substantial savings on such items as laundry detergent, paper products, light bulbs, bathroom cleaners, floor waxes, brooms, brushes, buckets, and much more. It is important to note that all

cleaning supplies at Reliable Supply & Equipment Co. are Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) rated and come with a Safety Data Sheet, upon request. Additionally, Michael is extremely pleased that he has been able to secure the highest quality suppliers such as EUREKA, SCOTT, RUBBER MADE, BRULIN-WORK SAFE, to best service his customers. Reliable Supply will be holding a special preview of its new store and products with representatives from the above mentioned suppliers for area businesses later this month. Michael hopes that Hotels/Motels, Automotive Centers, Health Care Professionals, Industrial and Commercial businesses will at least come to compare the quality and prices of Reliable Supply & Equipment Co. products to their current cleaning supplies.

An open house is scheduled for the public on Tuesday, September 24, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Door prizes will be given to the first fifty customers. For more information on products or services call Reliable Supply & Equipment Co. 348-1118, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., in Grayling.

Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Rain
9/10	67	63	1.23
9/11	64	41	
9/12	74	43	
9/13	73	45	
9/14	76	51	0.56
9/15	79	53	
9/16	75	68	0.47

Extended forecast courtesy of the U. S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake:

Showers and thunderstorms are likely in the morning on Wednesday, with partial clearing in the afternoon. Wednesday's high will be in the 60s and the low in the mid to upper 30s. Thursday through Saturday will be dry with the high in the low 50s and the low in the 30s.

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Executive Director

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP NOTICE SNOWPLOWING BIDS

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP will receive bids for the snowplowing of Lovells Township Hall, Fire hall and Dump sites No. 1 and 2 for the 1991-1992 season until 3:00 p.m. October 3, 1991, at the office of the Clerk or Supervisor at the Township Hall.

Evidence of insurance must accompany all bids.

Snowplowing specifications can be obtained at the Township Hall between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

The Lovells Township Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to award the bid to other than low bidders, and in general to make the award in any manner deemed by it, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of Lovells Township.

Cheryl Hopp
Lovells Township Clerk
-19-25

Grayling Township Notice

The Grayling Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, September 24, 1991 at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room of the Grayling Township Office, 2090 Viking Way (M-72W), to hear the following case:

Case 91-4: Planning Commission, petitioner.

Property description: All of Section 31, T26N, R3W. The Property lies between I-75 and Oak Road.

A request to rezone from (R-F) Recreational Forest and (DD) Deferred Development to (C-1) General Commercial.

Zoning map is available for inspection during regular office hours at Grayling Township.

Correspondence may be directed to: Grayling Township, P. O. Box 521, Grayling, Mi. 49738. Telephone (517) 348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton
Clerk

Hobby Club Works C.A.R.E. Coffee Break

The Hobby Club met August 26th with 14 ladies present. The co-hostesses for this meeting were Connie Rozanski and Eleanor White. Annie Berger was the winner of the door prize. They met again September 9th with 14 members and two guests present. Doris Pavey was the hostess and Bunny Kammer won the door prize.

The club members and friends worked the Labor Day C.A.R.E. Coffee Break at the Frederic Rest Area on I-75 for three days serving refreshments to travelers.

Their next meeting will be Monday, September 23, at the Clubhouse.

Local Masons To Hold Degree

The Grayling Masonic Temple, at 305 Michigan Ave., will be conducting a 3rd degree September 19.

First section begins at 5 p.m. Dinner at 6 p.m. Public is invited to the dinner.

Second section begins at 7 p.m. All Master Masons are invited to attend.



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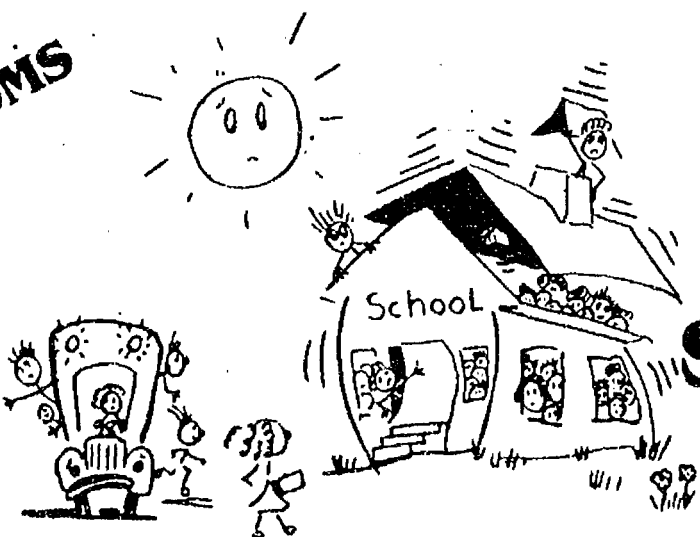
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Bacon Cheeseburger w/Slaw.....	\$3.50
lettuce, tomato and pickle	
Ham & Cheese Croissant w/Slaw.....	\$3.75
BBQ Beef w/Slaw.....	\$3.75
Stacked Turkey Croissant w/Slaw.....	\$3.75
Stacked Ham on Bun w/Slaw.....	\$3.00
Chicken Salad Croissant w/Slaw.....	\$3.75
Grilled Cheese w/Slaw & Chips.....	\$2.50
BLT w/Slaw.....	\$3.00
Soups.....	\$1.75
Cheese or Creamed Soups.....	\$1.85
Chef Salad w/Ham & Cheese.....	\$4.60
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Bacon, Eggs & Toast.....	\$3.15
Ham, Eggs & Toast.....	\$3.40
Pancakes & Eggs.....	\$3.40
One Egg.....	\$1.00
Two Eggs.....	\$1.60
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Oatmeal.....	\$1.25
Orange or Tomato Juice.....	\$1.00

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Alumni News

By Clara Sorenson
Membership Secretary
 From the 1946 class, we have two Board members, Richard K. Nelson and Beth Serven Seator. We congratulate them on their 45th anniversary as one more class who will be with us on September 28.

This past week, we framed a "Certificate of Award." It said, "This certifies that Anna Nelson of Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan, was awarded this certificate for Good Deportment and being Neither Absent nor Tardy from school during the Spring term. Given at Grayling this 26th day of June 1901. Signed, R. Bailey, Superintendent, and Mary A. Woodruff, Teacher." Ninety years ago... and they still recognize this accomplishment at the awards programs. Anna graduated in 1908. We will put this in the School Room at the museum. We have some more goodies to frame and this comes from our Album Fund — thanks to your contributions.

Lovells News

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Caid and sons from Threco Oaks, spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Caid, and his brother, Tim.
 Mrs. Bernie Costello is home after being a patient at Munson Medical Center in Traverse City. Her many friends wish her well.
 Mr. Lee Kellogg is at the Meadows. He would enjoy seeing his friends.
 Paula Harwood returned to her home in Mt. Clemens on Sunday after enjoying a week's vacation.
 The Cheerful Givers Club will meet on Thursday evening at 7:30 at the clubroom.
 Senior Citizens Day will be on Thursday the 19th, at the Town Hall. Blood pressures will be taken at 11:30, dinner at 12. Come and enjoy the day.

THE CLASS OF 1946—From left to right: (D) denotes deceased. Top row: William Muhr, Albert J. Charron, Patricia Dunckley, Mae Small, Dale Burns, Edgar Caid, Jr., Jack Boger, Patricia Heric, Beverly Stephan, Richard L. Nelson (D), Ilene Anthony. Second row: Louise Kasper, Richard Penty, Arthur F. Clough, Margie Caid, Elna Mae Jensen (D), Ilene Small (D), Emory Craft (D), Patrick Harwood (D), Helene Madison, Georgina Robarge (D), Emogene Dykehouse. Third row: Richard Gildner, Betty Ingalls, Ted Bennett, treasurer, Richard K. Nelson, president, Gloria Feldhauser, vice president, Stanley Mathewson, secretary (D), Beatrice Papendick, Dwight Reava. Bottom row: Annette Bennett, Frank Bond, superintendent (D), Wesley Kumpula, principal (D), Joseph Stripe, co-sponsor, Beth Serven. Not pictured: Norine Hanson, co-sponsor. These young men were away in the service: James Kolka, Albert Markby, Joe Patrick Kolka, Samuel Frederick Smith (D), Marx Stephan (D). Listed above with the "G."

Bowling League

Sunday Afternoon Fun League	
Vic Parsons	7
Spikes Keg O Nails	7
Murdick's Fudge	5
Helsels Forest Products	4
Grayling Restaurant	4
Milltown Drywall	4
Carquest	1
Trails Campground	0
Men's High Game: P. Hetrick, 210, P. Papendick, 187, E. Palmer, 184. Men's High Series: P. Hetrick, 537, S. Moon, 478, P. Papendick, 462.	
Women's High Game: S. Romain, 190, 180, L. Hetrick, 179, C. LaMotte, 170. Women's High Series: S. Romain, 494, L. Hetrick, 459, B. Walker, 421.	
National 1st Division	
Bear's Country Inn	6
Budweiser	6
Legion Lounge	5
Carlisle Paddles	4
Copper Keille	4
G-P Products	3
Eagles #3465	2
Northland Appliance	2
High Game: J. Helsel, 220, D. Donaldson, 204, R. Case, 193. High Series: D. Donaldson, 577, J. Helsel, 554, J. Millikin, 550.	
Recreation League	
Fabiano Bros.	6
Glen's Market	5
Shell Haven	5
Bears Country Inn	5
Sears	4
Holiday Inn	3
Cornell Real Estate	3
Mickey Perez	1
High Game: A. Small, 200, D. Mead, 188, A. Andrus, 186. High Series: D. Mead, 489, A. Andrus, 467, G. Nielson, 457.	
Thursday Coffee League	
Dan's Dolls	8
Airway	6
Legion Lanes	5
New Life	3
Helsels Firewood	3
Spikes	2
Bloomquist & Wegner, Law Office	2
AuSable Const.	2

High Game: S. Romain, 201, D. Thomson, 190, V. Tunstalle, 188. High Series: S. Romain, 525, A. Payne, 470, C. Cain, 469.	
American 2nd Division	
Patti's	5
American Legion	4
Northland App.	3
Glen's	3
Skip's	3
McLean's Ace	3
Hardee's	2
Upper Lakes	1
High Game: D. DeHart, 220, M. Keir, 214, D. Canfield, 212. High Series: M. Keir, 555, D. Mansfield, 551, D. Canfield, 530.	
Triangle League	
Stitches by Sue	20-12
Red Barn	20-12
Rose Family Dentistry	20-12
Milltown Feed	19-13
Ed's Team	14-18
R & R Auto	10-20
Joe's	6-10
Silver Dollar	3-13
High Game: Kevin, 245, B. Mahaffy, 203, K. Louchart, 200. High Series: Kevin, 559, B. Mahaffy, 550, K. Louchart, 511.	
Senior Citizen Bowling	
Buccilli's	4
McLean's	3
Larry & Joan's	3
Flowers	3
Weaver's	1
Great Lakes	1
Cornell's	1
R & H Sports	0
Men's High Game: E. Wilde, 200, B. Burrick, 185, L. Demorest, 179. Men's High Series: E. Wilde, 566, B. Burrick, 545, G. Wolfe, 472, L. Demorest, 472.	
Women's High Game: A. Payne, 161, A. Roman, 152, D. Mead, 148. Women's High Series: A. Payne, 422, D. Hall, 400, D. Mead, 398.	
American 1st Division	
K of C #2	4
K of C #1	3
Milltown Drywall	2
Helsel's Firewood	2

Gary's Drywall	2
Millan Supply	2
John-Al Const.	1
Bear's Country Inn	0
High Game: S. Moon, 218, C. Stewart, 198, J. Cherven, 193. High Series: S. Moon, 551, J. Cherven, 548, R. Case, 491.	
Pioneer League	
Aunt Betty's	4-0
Dawson's	4-0
Mercy Hospital	4-0
Avalanche	3-1
Millikins	1-3
F.O.E. Aux. 3465	0-4
Skips Sport Shop	0-4
Chemical Bank	0-4
High Game: N. Glasslee, 187, M. LaMotte, 179, C. Jones, 179. High Series: N. Glasslee, 508, C. Jones, 505, K. Morrill, 478.	
Friday Night Mixed Doubles	
Pizza Hut	4-0
CSI Industrial Systems	3-1
Deb & Dale's	3-1
Moshier Auto Repair	1-3
Schreiber Construction	1-3
Aunt Betty's Restaurant	0-4
Men's High Game: D. Lozon, 184, M. Campbell, 179, H. Baker & M. Campbell, 175. Men's High Series: H. Baker, 491, M. Campbell, 483, D. Lozon, 478.	
Women's High Game: C. Baker, 149, A. Moshier, 148, M. Campbell, 139. Women's High Series: C. Baker, 407, C. Campbell, 397, M. Campbell, 396.	
Northwood League	
Bubbles Belles	6
Dr. Dean	5
Gracof Grammar	5
A. L. Williams	4
Ben Franklin	4
Econo Cuts	3
Team #8	3
Ghosts	1
High Game: M. Malone, 199, P. Papendick, 184, B. Helsel, 169. High Series: M. Malone, 548, P. Papendick, 220, S. Hoffman, 446. Week of 9-6-91, High Game: J. Tobias, 183, J. Pratt, 175, P. Papendick, 167. High Series: J. Pratt, 494, P. Papendick, 456, B. Helsel, 441.	

Bits Of Talk

Terry and Jennifer Hilton of Jacksonville, Florida, spent a week with his parents, George and Bernice Hilton. Tom and Marion Hilton of Lansing spent a weekend while his brother and wife were visiting.

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Is all available space in the two Elementary Schools and the Middle School really being utilized?

Is the alleged overcrowding only a temporary situation?

Are two Principals really going to be needed?

How can I prevent my payment for property taxes from going up if the bond issue passes?

What is the "Circuit Breaker" for property tax payers and renters?

I'm a Senior Citizen on a fixed income, I don't want my taxes raised. Why do they have to be?

Why can't we just buy portables?

Why do we have to move the football field?

Won't my child still have to leave Grayling Elementary and go to Frederic Elementary even if a new school is built?

Are any of these questions your concerns regarding the September 25th bond issue? If they are, or you have additional concerns - please come to an

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Government Action

SYNOPSIS August 28, 1991 Regular Meeting Crawford County Board of Commissioners

The Regular Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners convened on August 28, 1991, at 9:45 a.m. in the County Building, Grayling, MI.

Commissioners present: Long, Goodale, Riley, Hulbert, McLachlan, and Smock. Callawaert absent. County Clerk Elizabeth Wieland and Deputy Clerk Sandra Moore present. There were 12 visitors present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, COMMISSIONERS:

- Accepted the 8-14-91 Regular Meeting minutes as presented.
- Accepted 13 pieces of communications.
- Accepted the resignation of Diana Doremus from the N. C. Community Mental Health Board with regrets.
- Authorized the Central Dispatch Director to notify businesses and citizens that the Sheriff Dept. will no longer be monitoring their security alarms as cost to move circuits is estimated at \$7,310.
- Adopted a resolution urging the State and Federal Government to include pine trees and adequate funding in 1991 for Gypsy moth spraying.
- Adopted resolutions recognizing the outstanding accomplishments of Howard Taylor, Ed Holtcamp, Barbara Clark Groene, and Judy Boyd in the initiation of E-911.
- Recessed the Regular Meeting to go into Executive Session to discuss possible litigation. Information was submitted to an outside or special prosecutor to review and suggest necessary action.

- Tabled a motion to do away with the Detective position at the Sheriff Dept.
- Extended the Letter of Understanding with both COAM and POAM Bargaining Units to continue the 12 hour shift for Road Patrol Officers until a new contract is executed.
- Authorized payment of \$44 for a part time employee who broke her glasses in the line of duty.
- Executed the Motorola Service agreement for the Sheriff Dept. and Central Dispatch for a three month period at a cost of \$521 per month.
- IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:**
 - Were informed by Ken Chapp Road Commissioner, that M93, Co Road 612, and Cameron Bridge Road are almost done.
 - Learned of an article in the *Northwoods Call* newsletter relative to the County's proposal to acquire the Rayburn and Truettner properties. A copy of the County Park concept will be forwarded to them.
 - Listened to a report on the jail facility from Diane Jamison of the Mi. Dept. of Corrections regarding security and staffing levels.
 - Received a check from Lake Margrethe Property Owners Assoc. for the Marine Patrol.
 - Were informed that the sheriff granted a 30 day leave of absence to Larry Akers with an additional 30 days if needed, to work on E-911.
 - Discussed removing all language relative to snow plowing from the Airport Agreement with Col. Koppa.
 - Reviewed the 1990 Audit Report with auditor William Holmes, CPA. Funds ending in a deficit are: Road Construction Fund, Child Care Fund, Law Library Fund, and the General Fund.
 - Heard brief up dates from various other committees.
 - Full text of official minutes are on file in the Clerk's office.

Robert McLachlan, Chairman
Elizabeth Wieland, County Clerk
Sandra Moore, Deputy Clerk

Grayling City Council Proceedings August 26, 1991

Meeting called to order by Mayor Golnick at 7:30 p.m.

Members Present: Stevens, White, Golnick, Schreiner, Akers. Members Absent: None. Also in Attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Kay Ellen King, Patricia Schreiner, Marsha Koppa, Pete Kurak, Guy Quigley, Janet Youngs.

Moved by Schreiner, supported by Stevens that the minutes of the meeting of August 12, 1991, be approved as presented. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak. None.

Communications were received and noted.

July 1991 Fire Department Report.

From Gary Hoose re: Pole Painting.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Akers that Mr. Morford check into painting of light poles and have it done if Consumers Power isn't going to take care of it. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Secretary of State re: Presidential Primary 1992.

AuSable Marathon Certificate of Appreciation.

Dates of 1991 City Council Election.

Donald Schanz re: Weyerhaeuser Foundation Funding.

Grayling Uptown District Association Meeting Minutes of August 6, 1991.

Letter from Howard Taylor re: Meeting on September 5, 1991 to discuss E-911 and the Gypsy Moth.

Agenda for the August 28, 1991 Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

Letter from Dr. Dorothy Franke, President of Kirtland Community College re: September 13th Millage Vote.

Federal Information Bulletins.

Old Business: None.

New Business:

MDOT re: Traffic signals (I-75 & M-72) & (I-75 & Michigan Avenue). Mr. Morford is going to check with MDOT and report back to Council.

Renewal of City Property & Liability Insurance. Mr. Morford explained that we carry our property and liability insurance through the Michigan Municipal League Liability & Property Pool and recommended renewal.

Moved by Golnick, supported by Schreiner to renew our Insurance Policy with the Michigan Municipal League Liability & Property Pool for 1991-92 as presented. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Resolution for Non-Profit Status for Mercy Manor & Mercy Child Care Center.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Schreiner to approve Resolution for Non-Profit Status for Mercy Manor & Mercy Child Care Center for the purpose of obtaining a gaming license. Ayes: 3, Nays: 1, (White), Abstain: 1

(Golnick), Absent: 0, motion carried.

Reports of City Manager. Mr. Morford reported on the following:

Page numbering for Ordinance 91-2.

Offer to buy Fund Balance Programs.

Will consult with Councilman Stevens and Auditors as well as the new Treasurer.

AuSable Property Owners Association Meeting on Saturday, August 24, 1991.

Bronners Christmas Notice. Discussion held regarding contacting Joe Meredith, checking with his Christmas Decorations, what kind are available from him.

Letter back from Mr. Kelly re: Power Outage.

Public Housing Project. Mr. Quigley wrote a letter stating the need of HUD Section 8 Housing which was sent to HUD.

Treasurer Interviews. Mr. Morford has conducted 6 interviews and has 3 more this week. Hope to make a decision by Labor Day.

Commission District Discussions. Mr. Morford favors 6 Districts as it is the least disruption to City and Township precincts.

Tires and Miscellaneous Items at City Garage. Mr. Morford is to get rid of all minor excess items and to advise Council on more valuable items.

Sewer Lagoon Project. Mr. Morford noted we are about 3 months ahead of schedule and are making great progress.

Reports of Council Members.

Mr. Stevens ask about lines on Michigan Avenue. Mr. Morford explained they are for left hand turning lanes to be installed by MDOT.

Mr. Schreiner ask about trucks coming into town during the night, making lots of noise. No noise ordinance covering this complaint. Mr. Morford will check into this.

Mr. White ask about junk cars and junk being put out early in the city.

Mr. White ask about Income Tax for Contractors working in the city.

Adjournment.

Moved by Golnick, supported by Stevens that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Jerry W. Morford
City Manager & City Clerk

Editor's Quote Book

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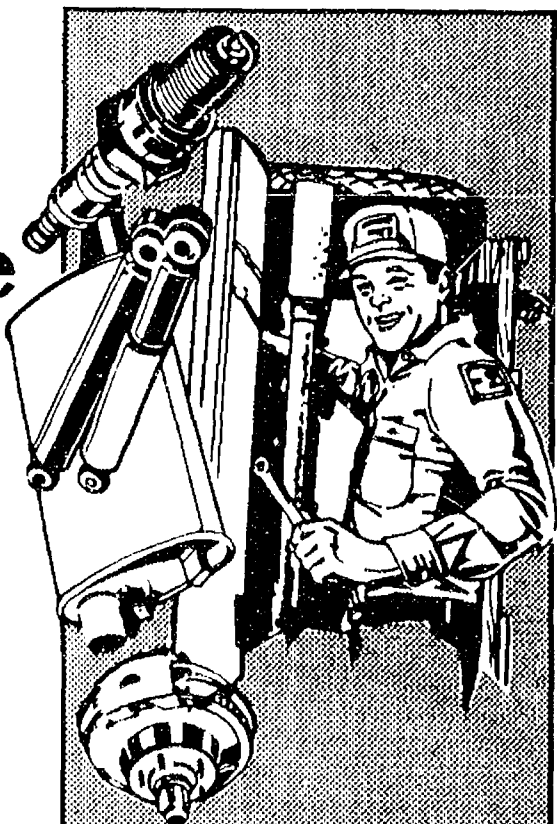
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GMS 7TH GRADE BASKETBALL SQUAD: (front) Cheryl McCurdy, Julia McAnallen, Erin Patrick, Adrianna VerWys, Annie Henion, Michelle Duncley, Nicole Miller; (back) Coach James Ritter, Nikki Schornack, Jessica Waite, Angela Floriano, Bethany Pettyjohn, Holly Anger, Jodie Gay, Jaymie Brannan, Manager Marc Ritter, Coach Harold Mertes. Not pictured: Stacey Putnam, Jenny Ohsowski.

Freshmen Girls Beat Lake City

The Grayling High School freshman girls basketball team split a pair of games last week, defeating Lake City on Thursday but falling to Kalkaska on Wednesday.

Coach Mark Hartman said the team played very well in their 37-24 victory over the Lake City Trojans on September 12.

"They started out slow, dropping 11 points behind, but came back with some nice shooting and solid defense."

"I was a little concerned playing two games back to back, especially after the tough loss to Kalkaska. But the girls regrouped and played a great game on both offense and defense."

Carol Lancy led the team in scoring with 18 points. Lynne Rochette scored seven points and "played great defense." Kim Haske added six points and also did well rebounding, said Coach Hartman.

Misty Burden scored four points; Jessica Hall added two; and Danyell Galvani and Samara Sabin played "real well on both defense and offense."

GAME AGAINST KALKASKA

The freshman Vikings lost a squeaker to the Kalkaska Blazers, 36-34 (in overtime), the day before.

Again, Hartman said the team played very well, leading most of the game.

"It was a close game, right down to the final two free throws that put the game in overtime. The girls hustled real good and their passing was better than the first game. Even though we got into foul trouble early, the girls didn't let down and played hard the whole game."

Lancy again was leading scorer with nine points. Straw, who added six points, had a good game, said Hartman.

Other scoring leaders were Sabin with four and Burden with five points.

The freshmen host Lincoln-Alcona on Wednesday, September 18, at 6:30 p.m. They travel to Mio on Monday, September 23, for a 6:30 p.m. game.

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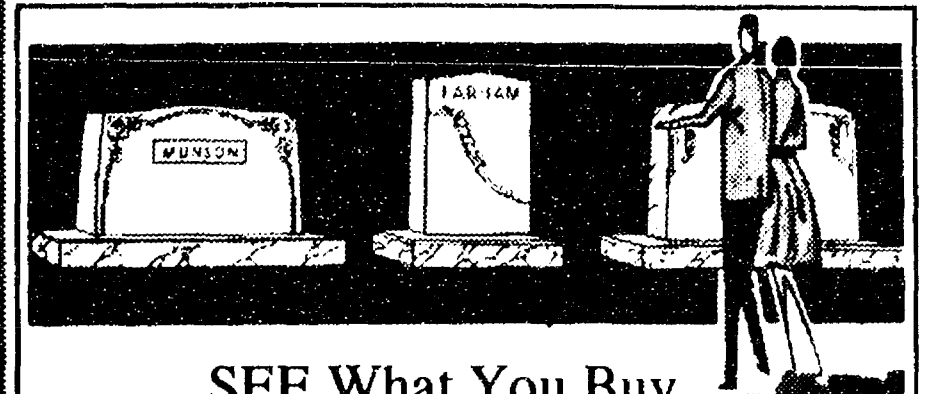
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Middle School Teams Win 2

The Grayling Middle School 7th and 8th grade girls basketball teams opened their 1991 season at home on September 9 with victories over Johannesburg-Lewiston.

The 8th grade A squad won, 24-14, against a team that beat Grayling twice last year, said Coach Jim Parker.

"The girls played extremely well on defense, holding Johannesburg to four points in the first half," added Coach Parker.

The 7th grade A squad also had a big win, beating Johannesburg, 32-14.

Michelson Choir To Sponsor Concert

Rehearsals will begin on Thursday, September 19, for a concert of Russian Music which will be presented in two concerts on Sunday, October 27. The concert, which will feature works of such famous composers as Moussorgsky, Cue, Rimsky-Korsakov, Tchaikovsky, Borodin and others, is being sponsored by Michelson Memorial Methodist Church. The choral works featured in the concert will be presented by the Michelson Senior Choir, augmented by any member of the community who would like to participate in the concert.

Any community member who enjoys music and singing is cordially invited to attend the first rehearsal which will be held Thursday evening, September 19, at 8 p.m. at Michelson Memorial Methodist Church, 400 Michigan Avenue, Grayling. It is not necessary to be able to read music to participate in this concert.

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MON. 23	• GRAYLING KIWANIS CLUB MEETING , 12 noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. • GHS HOMECOMING WEEK , (23-28) • MI EDUCATION ASSESSMENT PROGRAM , test grades 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11 (Sept. 23-Oct. 18) • ELEMENTARY JOINT STAFF MEETING at Frederic Elementary School, 3:15 • FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN!
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St. Ignace's Long Drives Earn 33-14 Win

The Grayling High School varsity football team fell to a tough St. Ignace squad, 33-14, last Friday evening.

The game opened with a Viking kick-off to the Saints on their 34-yard line. St. Ignace scored with a 65-yard drive highlighted by a five-yard touchdown pass. The two-point conversion, however, was stopped by GHS senior defensive end Mark Andrus, making the score 6-0.

On Grayling's first and only drive in the first quarter, the Vikings attempted a punt fake on fourth down. But junior punter Matt Cragg's pass was incomplete and the Saints took over the ball on the Viking 49-yard line.

St. Ignace scored a second time, on a 51-yard drive, and again the two-point conversion was no good, bringing the score to 12-0.

At the beginning of the second period, Grayling threw an interception, enabling the Saints to go for an 11-yard TD run. This time the two-point conversion was good, making the score 20-0.

On the Vikings' next offensive drive, they threw an interception at their own 39-yard line. But on the very next play, Grayling junior cornerback Mike Spencer intercepted the ball from the Saints.

On the Viking first down, Kirmo's throw—intended for a GHS tight end—was tipped by a Saint at the line of scrimmage right into the hands of Viking junior flanker Mitch McMillan.

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"It was good head's up play by Mitch," said Coach Dave Larkin.

That took Grayling to the Saints' 35. But with two incomplete passes and a quarterback sack, the Vikings were forced to punt.

St. Ignace fumbled the ball on their own eight-yard line and McMillan recovered it with two minutes to go in the half. Junior Gary Schroyer scored on an eight-yard run on second down and the extra point kick by junior Johannes Blekeli was good. So the Vikes were on the scoreboard, 20-7, with 1:27 minutes left in the second period.

Coach Larkin said, "I told the players at half-time that I felt very confident. The momentum was going in our favor and all we needed were two touchdowns and two conversions to win."

2ND HALF

The third period opened with the Vikings in possession of the ball on their own 40. Following two consecutive first downs, they drove to the Saints' 40, but fumbled on fourth and one.

Although St. Ignace recovered the ball, they immediately fumbled, and GHS junior outside linebacker Steve Grayling played on Friday without the services of three potential starters. Two-way players seniors Chris Lehti and Shane Lovely were sidelined by injuries.

"I hope to have them back, in addition to Rob Brown, for the Lincoln-Alcona game," said Larkin.

In the rushing column, Schroyer had 22 for 108 yards—his second consecutive game over 100 yards—and ran in two TDs. Junior Jason Brigham was four for 18 yards.

Kirmo was six for 18 in passing for a total of 89 yards. He threw three interceptions.

Blekeli was successful in both of his extra-point kicks.

Senior linebacker Arnold Randall was leading tackler with 11. He was followed closely by junior Jason Neeley with ten.

Spencer made two interceptions and senior Eric Bonamie added one at the end of the game. Schroyer, McMillan and Branch each recovered one fumble.

The Vikings host the Lincoln-Alcona Tigers on Friday, September 20, at 7:30 p.m., in the second of only four home contests this season.

Branch recovered it. After failing to make a first down, however, the Vikings were forced to punt.

St. Ignace picked up the ball on the Viking 36, and drove 64 yards for a touchdown, scoring on a 45-yard run by their fullback. The extra point was also good, bringing the score to 27-7.

On their next drive, Grayling had the ball on their own 18-yard line on second down when they threw another interception. Although the Saints ran it inside the five-yard line, they were

stopped by the Viking defense on four straight running plays to end the third quarter.

In the fourth period, Grayling received the kick on the three and moved it from their own one-yard line to the Saints' 49.

"On fourth and 12 we had to go for it because we were down 27-7," said Larkin.

But the Vike quarterback was sacked and the ball went to St. Ignace. Spencer intercepted a pass on the Saints' first play and "made a great 54-yard run to the 16."

On first down, Schroyer gained 15 yards, and on the next play, he made the touchdown on a one-yard run. The extra point kick was again good, bringing the score to 27-14.

"With eight minutes to go, we were only 13 points behind," said Larkin. "We decided to do an onside kick."

But the attempt failed and St. Ignace, after recovering the ball on their own 40, scored on a 60-yard drive. The two-point conversion was no good, but the score increased to 33-14, where it remained.

"With four minutes to go we had to hold on defense and we didn't," said Larkin.

With no time-outs remaining, Grayling quickly went into a two-minute offense, moving the ball from their own 20 to the St. Ignace 43. But an incomplete pass on fourth and three turned the ball over to the Saints for

own last possession.

COACH'S SUMMARY

"I didn't think we played a very good ball game," admitted Larkin. "I give a lot of credit to St. Ignace because I think they did. Offensively we didn't move the ball. We made mistakes. We're going to have to eliminate mistakes if we're going to be successful. The opposition isn't beating us. We're beating ourselves. Defen-

sively we gave up far too many yards. The Saints had several long drives."

"I still have a tremendous amount of confidence in this team and I remain very optimistic about our chances in our conference," he added. "This week we play Lincoln-Alcona in our first conference game. It is crucial that we get a win. I think we will. We've made mistakes but we've learned from them."

St. Ignace Beats JV Team 28-18

The Grayling High School junior varsity football team fell to St. Ignace, 28-18, in their first home contest last Thursday.

Although Grayling got off to a slow start and did not play well during the first half, the team's performance—especially the offensive line—improved over last week's play, said Coach Chuck Spencer.

"Coach (Fred) Wolcott and I feel the kids are beginning to understand more of the fundamentals of the game," Spencer said that sophomore quarterback Chris Wolcott had a good game, throwing two touchdown passes and a 30-yard scramble.

Also playing well for the Viking

cause were three freshmen: flanker Steve Bugyi, who caught two touchdown passes and played strong defense; running back Scott Baker, who "had a sparkling 80-yard kick-off return for a TD;" and running back Andy Langowski, who "ran hard during the second half."

Spencer also had praise for sophomores Brent Kernstock, Jeremiah Blaauw, Scott Gizinski and J.C. Millikin, whom he described as having strong performances, offensively and defensively.

The junior varsity Vikings travel to Lincoln-Alcona on Thursday, September 19, for their first conference game. Kick-off time is 6:30 p.m.

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Coming close with 14 right were Rick Anderson, April Ballor, Larry Davis, Jr., Nancy Gingerick, Rena Neilson, and Doris Solomonson.

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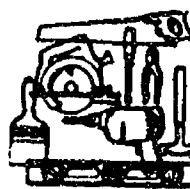


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Turnovers Cost GHS In Two Losses

The Grayling High School girls varsity basketball team dropped a pair of games—to Roscommon and Onaway—last week.

The Vikings fell to the Bucks, 53-32, on September 10. The score was 13-3 at the end of the first period; 27-9 at half-time; and 38-12 after three quarters.

"Roscommon dominated the first three quarters," said Coach Howard

Lehti.

Although Grayling outscored Roscommon, 20-15, in the fourth quarter, it was not enough to overcome the deficit accumulated in the first three periods.

GHS also suffered from too many turnovers, lack of rebounding and weak free throw shooting (nine for 22 at the free throw line in contrast to the Bucks' 12 for 18).

"We had 27 turnovers," said Coach Lehti. "That's too many. We're going to have to improve. There were too many mistakes and they were very costly."

Junior Elissa Cox led the scoring effort for Grayling with 13 points. Juniors Heidi Craigie and Sarah Micek followed with six points each. Junior Amy Vandecar contributed three points; sophomore Angie Mertes, two; and senior Brenda Moshier and junior Valerie Schans, one each.

In the rebounding column, Micek led with 11. Moshier added seven; Mertes, five; junior Heather Millikin and Craigie, two apiece; and Vandecar and Cox, one each.

Craigie had five steals; Micek, two; and Mertes and Cox, one apiece.

Craigie also led in assists with four. Mertes added two. Cox, Moshier and Micek had one each.

Lehti said that Cox played a nice ball game, with 13 points being her high for the year.

GAME AGAINST ONAWAY

In contrast to the Roscommon game, the Vikings stayed in Thursday's contest against the Onaway Cardinals throughout the first three quarters before falling, 49-27.

At the end of the third period, the score was still a close 27-22. But in the fourth, the Cardinals outscored Grayling, 22-5, due to a combination of "hot shooting" and the Vikings' loss of junior starter Heidi Craigie, who sustained a leg injury at the end of the third quarter.

Grayling's 25 turnovers were very costly in this game too. And while the Vikings' rebounding stayed even with Onaway's, they were hurt at the foul line, going only seven for 21.

"We were really fired up for the game," said Lehti. "It isn't that we didn't want it. We thought we were going to play them a lot better. But with the injury and the hot shooting, it wasn't meant to be."

"Player for player, Onaway is more experienced than Grayling," he continued. "We were fighting for our lives and our dignity."

"We have to continue working on

positioning, shooting and rebounding skills. Things will definitely improve after our first win, which should come this week."

Cox again led the Viking scoring effort with eight points. Micek had six; Vandecar, four; Mertes, Craigie, senior Andrea Austin and Moshier, two each; and junior Gina Luppo, one.

Micek again was high rebounder with nine. Moshier followed closely with seven. Vandecar added five; Millikin and Schans, four each; Austin, three; Mertes and Craigie, two apiece; and Cox, one.

Craigie again led in assists with four. Cox had three; Moshier, two; and Vandecar and Luppo, one apiece.

Craigie had four steals; Cox, three; Vandecar and Moshier, two each; and Mertes and Micek, one apiece.

Lehti said that Vandecar played her best game of the year so far.

He also praised his senior co-captains Andrea Austin and Michelle Parker. "They're constantly doing all they can to keep the team on an upbeat note."

The Vikings take on Boyne City away on Thursday, September, September 19.

"They're as inexperienced as we are," said Lehti. "We're looking forward to a good ball game on our part. It's a big game, even being non-conference."

On Saturday, Grayling travels to Marcellus for their annual non-conference game with this Class C school located near Kalamazoo. On Tuesday, September 24, they travel again to nearby Gaylord to take on the rival Blue Devils.



JUMP SHOT--GHS senior Brenda Moshier takes a closely guarded shot while junior Sarah Micek establishes good rebounding position. In spite of fine rebounding efforts by Micek and her teammates, the Vikings fell to the Onaway Cardinals last Thursday.

JVs Beat Onaway, Lose To Roscommon

The Grayling High School girls junior varsity basketball team went one and one in play last week, beating Onaway on Thursday and falling to Roscommon on Tuesday.

The team played an excellent all-around ball game, said Coach Dallas Hudson of Grayling's 50-38 victory over the Onaway Cardinals. "They played excellent player-to-player defense and their overall rebounding improved."

Sophomore Jaime Andrus led the Vikings with 13 points and freshman Nicole Parker followed closely with 11 points.

Sophomore Mandee Micek added five points; sophomores Nicole Gengerich, Jessica McClain and Suzy Lovely, four apiece; sophomores Darcie McCurdy and Michelle Sampsell, three each; sophomore Val Elmy, two; and sophomore Melissa Wakeley, one.

"This is a good basketball team," said Coach Hudson. "I have said it in the past and will continue to say it. They work hard every day to improve their skills and find what works the best for them. They got off to a slow start in the first two ball games, but this game is an indicator of the type of basketball they can play."

He continued, "The team had something to prove to their fans and supporters. They believe they are a team to be reckoned with in the future."

ROSCOMMON GAME

The Vikings fell to the Bucks, 40-33, on September 10.

Andrus again led the GHS scoring effort with ten points. McCurdy had seven; Parker, sophomore Jennifer Fassinger and Lovely, four apiece; and McClain and Sampsell, two apiece.

The coach said that Micek had an excellent defensive game and McCurdy played an excellent all-around ball game.

"I made an error when I substituted my team in the second quarter which I believe cost us the game," Hudson said. "My bench played most of the quarter without any of the starters. They played well but near the end turned the ball over too many times and the Bucks made an eight-point run on them and went in to half-time with a 13-point lead."

"I felt we could make the difference up in the second half. The difference stayed the same in the third quarter, with both teams scoring only six points each. The girls made a good effort in the fourth quarter, but because of foul problems, we came up a little short. We all learned from the mistakes we made."

The JV team travels to Boyne City on Thursday, September 19, for a 6 p.m. game; to Marcellus on Saturday, September 21, for a 4 p.m. contest; and to Gaylord on Tuesday, September 24, for another 6 p.m. game.

Junior Pro Basketball

September 14 Girls Game Stats

3rd/4th Grade

Team	W-L	Team	W-L
Glen's Markets Spartans	2-0	Laurines Wolverines	2-0
(No Sponsor) Mustangs	2-0	Scheer Motors Pistons	2-0
Ausable Woodworking Hawks	0-2	Weyerhaeuser Timberwolves	1-1
(No Sponsor) Celtics	0-2	Mac's Drug Knicks	1-1
Game Results: Mustangs, 20, Hawks, 18; Spartans, 24, Celtics, 12.		Golden Rule Pacers	0-2
		Holiday Inn Hornets	0-2

5th/6th Grade

Game Results:	Wolverines, 38, Knicks, 7; Pistons, 24, Hornets, 17;
2-0	Timberwolves, 26, Pacers, 7.
2-0	5th/6th Grade Round Robin
1-1	schedule for this Saturday:
1-1	Floor 1: 9:00-10:00, Wolverines
0-2	vs. Pistons; Floor 2: Knicks vs.
0-2	Timberwolves; Floor 1: 10:00-10:30,
	clinic; 10:30-11:30, Pacers vs. Hornets.

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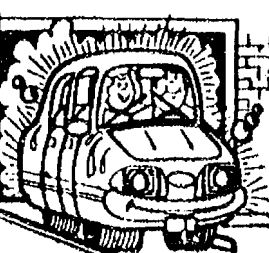
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4. Return the entry form by 5 p.m. Friday to the Avalanche. Mail slot in our door may be used Wednesday or Thursday night after 5 p.m. and before 9 a.m. Mail entries must be postmarked Friday or earlier. No late entries accepted. No exceptions.
5. The person with the most correct picks wins all the weekly prizes listed.

Here's how to win the overall prizes:

1. Each time you turn in an entry form you'll receive points for your correct picks. Most games will be worth one point. (All games for week 1 are worth one point each.) Later in the season, certain games will be designated as bonus point games worth more than 1 point. The biggest bonus point game will be at the last week of the contest.
2. You don't have to enter each week to be eligible to win but if you play each week, you'll have more chances to win points.
3. The person with the most points at the end of the 17-week contest will win all the overall prizes.

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- * Baseball cap, a \$5 value, from RV & Maxi Store
- * \$50 cash from the Crawford County Avalanche
- * 1 week free rental from Continental Rental [must meet rental requirements]

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- * Free car wash and dry from Diane's Milltown Car Wash
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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burns have received word that their son, Gerald has received an advance in rank and is now Sgt. Gerald Burns, Sect. G III,

LeRoy Babbitt of Flint spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Howard Bunker. He was released from the Army on Sept. 4. Another son, Clifford, of Camp Robinson, Ark., and wife and son Tony of Flint, are spending the week. Babbitt will report

Leon LaMotte and family arrived yesterday morning from Detroit. Mrs.

Regular meeting of the common council of the Village of Grayling convened at the Court House Friday evening, Sept. 8. Meeting called to order by C. A. Canfield. Present: Frank Sales, M. A. Atkinson, A. L. Roberts, H. E. Simpson, Mrs. E. R. Reagan. Absent none.

DELBERT RECTOR, Director

Keep in mind there is a Friends of the Hartwick Pines meeting at 7:30 p.m. on the 19th, at the Park Headquarters. You are hereby invited.

Creativity will impress your director. Joint effort will be encouraged, but do not allow your ideas to be discarded.

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Commission On Aging

By Jan Farley

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 Friday-20-Roast Chicken;
 Monday-23-Goulash/Fish;
 Tuesday-24-Chicken Cacciatore/Meatloaf;
 Wednesday-25-Turkey & Stuffing/Comed Beef & Cabbage;
 Thursday-26-Ham Steak/Bratwurst & Kraut;
 Friday-13-Salisbury Steak.

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September 20-11:30-Lovells Satellite; 1:30-Legal Help
 September 25-Blood Pressures and Blood Sugars taken from 11:30 to 1:00.

Bits of Talk

by Fay Bovee

Mrs. Betty Pamerleau picked up her daughter, Diane Brekke of San Diego, at the Cherry County Airport, Traverse City, on August 27. Diane spent a week here and they, with another daughter, Jeanne Dosch of Cadillac, visited Liz and George Pamerleau and son, Christopher, in Grosse Pointe Farms on Thursday, August 29. They spent Thursday and Friday nights at Frankenmuth and on Saturday, Betty and Diane met Jeanne and Ken Dosch, their daughter, Michelle Bredahl, and Joan and Rod Powers, for dinner at Sweitzers in Traverse City to help celebrate Betty's birthday.

Merna Newberry

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The Frederic Hobby Club would like to thank the following businesses for their donations to the C.A.R.E. Coffee Break that we held Labor Day weekend at the Frederic rest area on I-75: Northern Ice of Frederic; From Graying: Hardee's Restaurant, Wendy's Restaurant, Goodale's Bakery, A & W Root Beer, Glen's Market & Family Center and McDonald's Restaurant.

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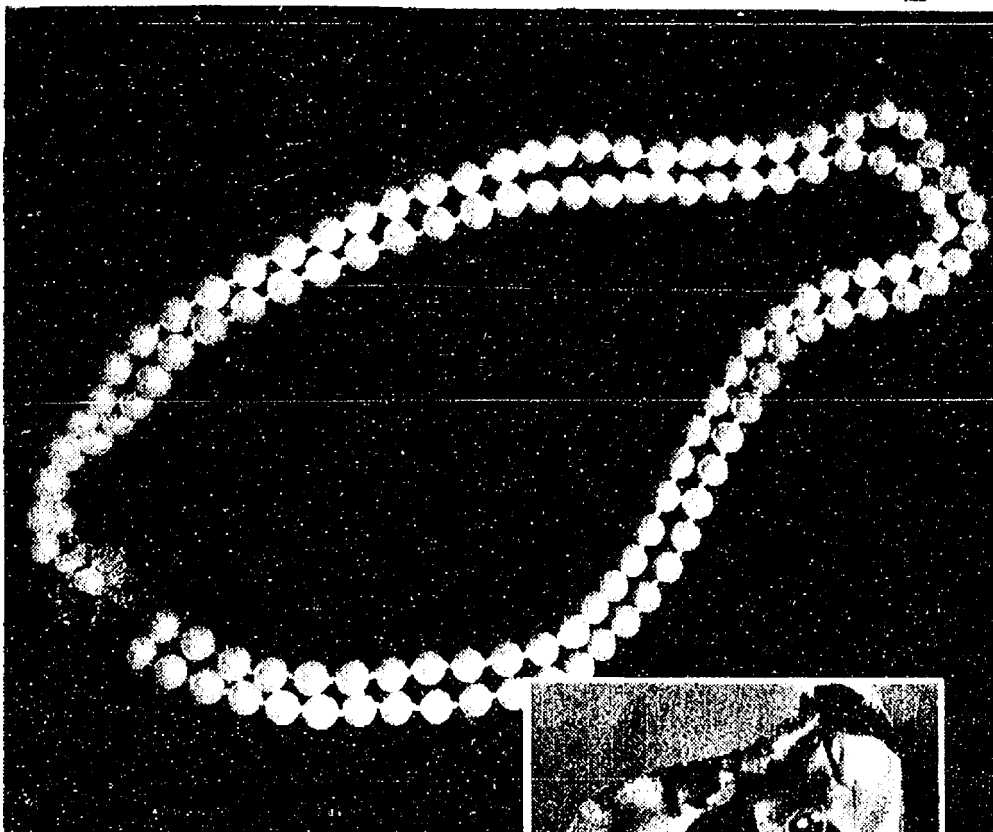
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 Evening Worship 6 p.m.
 Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

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 Worship & Praise 11 a.m.
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 Wed. Prayer, Bible Study 6 p.m.

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 April through October
 2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.

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 Church School 9:45-10:45 a.m.
 Worship Services 8:30 & 11 a.m.
 Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.
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 Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
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 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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 Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.
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 Wednesday 10 a.m.
 Thursday 8 a.m.
 Friday 8 a.m.
 Confession Saturday 4 p.m.

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 1st Wednesday (April-Oct.) 7:30 p.m.

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 Sunday School 10 a.m.
 Chapel Service 11 a.m.

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 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6 p.m.
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 Prayer & Awana Club (Wed) ... 7 p.m.

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 Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
 Wednesday
 Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.

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 Sunday School 9 a.m.
 Sunday Service 10 a.m.

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 with the Eliza Message
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 7662 Kelly Ave. - Frederic
 Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 7 p.m.
 Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m.

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 Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

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 Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

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 Evening Services 7 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.
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At a New Age seminar conducted by a Bible-believing Baptist pastor, thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of

exposed as unscriptural and demonic. After reading and believing what the Bible said, they realized for the first time they had been deceived into occult practices. They were under the control of demons. Through the name of our Lord Jesus Christ and through the power of His shed blood they were able to receive deliverance from the power and presence of demons.

Young people today are being deceived by the millions into experimenting with the occult. Having heard the supernatural played down by reputable institutions within our culture, they often approach the subject as a kind of joke. Later they find they are under the control of real superhuman power. Liberal churches which deny the infallible authority of the Bible expose their followers to the dangers of the occult. "For such are false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into the apostles of Christ. And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by NORMAN J. PEPPER and BEVERLY A. PEPPER, his wife, and REX D. HEADAPOLH and CAROL A. HEADAPOLH, his wife, of 1466 Lake James Drive, Prudenville, MI, 48651, and 3271 Lincoln Drive NE, Kalkaska, MI, 49646, to NBD BANK, N.A., formerly known as NBD Cadillac Bank, a Michigan Banking Corporation, of 701 Lake Avenue, P.O. Box 38, Roscommon, MI, 48653, dated August 21, 1989, and recorded in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, on August 23, 1989, in Liber 301, Pages 38-39, on which

Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest the sum of Fifty-Four Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty-Four and 59/100 (\$54,754.59) Dollars, and no proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage thereof and in pursuance to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage thereof will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described or such much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for

the said County, on 10 October 1991 at 9:00 a.m., of said day, and said premises will be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage together with Twelve and 50/100 (12.5%) percent interest, legal costs, attorney's fees, and also any taxes and insurance that said Mortgage does pay on or prior to the date of said sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan: PARCEL "C": Part of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Section 7, T26N, R3W, City of Grayling, Michigan, Commencing at the Northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of said Section 7, thence N2°00'11" (along the West 1/8 line) 386.20 feet to the P.O.B.; thence S87°34'11" 98.6 feet, then N13°51'1" 115.58 feet; thence N45°00'11" 70.23 feet; thence S49°39'11" 242.32 feet to the Northwestly R/W of M-93 and M-

72, thence S42°35'1" W (along said R/W), 68.4 feet; thence S45°53'1" W (along said R/W), 151.75 feet; thence N44°07'1" W, 215.5 feet to the P.O.B. The period of redemption will be six (6) months from the date of sale. Dated: 29 August 1991 By: Gerard F. Brabant P31123 GERARD F. BRABANT, P.C. Attorney for Mortgagee 603 Lake Street, P.O. Box 35 Roscommon, MI 48653 (517) 275-4365 -29-5-12-19-26

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STATE OF MICHIGAN 46TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION/POSTING AND NOTICE OF ACTION CASE NO. 90 2325 CK (P) County Building, 200, Michigan Avenue, Grayling, MI, 49738 (517) 348-2841, Ext. 200 SAWMILL TAVERN, INC. DAVID R. SABIN, P.C. P19822 115 MICHIGAN AVE, GRAYLING, MI, 49738 (517) 348-5588 MICHAEL T. SIGMAN and JOY M. SIGMAN, husband and wife, LEONARD

SZAJNER, d/b/ LEONARD'S ELECTRIC, KENNETH BEST and STATE OF MICHIGAN, jointly and severally. TO: MICHAEL T. SIGMAN IT IS ORDERED: You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to foreclose the Land Contract and Promissory Note between Sawmill Tavern, Inc., and Michael T. Sigman and Joy M. Sigman. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before 10-3-91 at 10 a.m. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case. 9-9-91 HONORABLE WILLIAM A. PORTER -12-19-26

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QUALIFICATIONS: Applicant must have experience working with children. Must be able to organize activities and adjust to individual needs. Ability to work with others in the learning center environment. Must possess a high school diploma.
SALARY: According to Master Agreement.
CONTACT: Paul B. Lerg, Assistant Superintendent, 403 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan 49738
DEADLINE: September 24, 1991. -19/3

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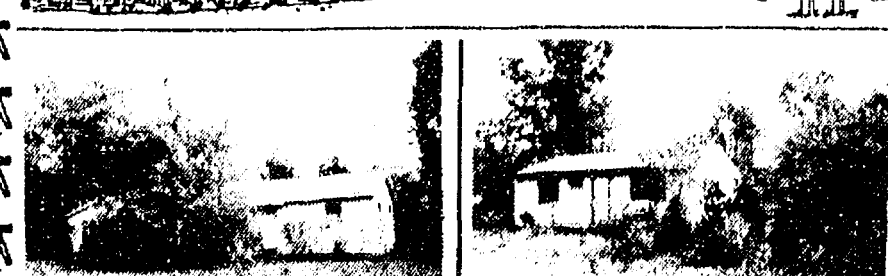
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AS OF MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1991 Chief Shoppenagons will be closed on Mondays (with the exception of Greyhound.) -19-26/4

YARD WORK, LIGHT CONSTRUCTION, house cleaning, light hauling. Call 348-7675. -19-26/4

DRIVER'S TRAINING is offered by the Grayling Driver's Training School. Class begins November 13. Contact Howard Lehti, 348-8838. LR11/7/91/4

SEWING MACHINE REPAIR Free estimates plus pick-up and return, all makes—once a week. By approved Singer technician. Phone Alpena, 354-3580, or Sew & Vac, P.O. Box 284, Grayling, MI 49738. -19-26-3-10/4

CHIEF SHOPPENAGON NOW HAS our famous fish fry on Tuesday and Friday nights for \$5.95. Come and join us! -19-26/4

BOAT-MOTOR HOMES-RVS-ETC. Storage up to 25 ft in length, \$45 per month; 25 foot and over, \$55 per month. Heated, sprinkler system. Call J. "Lee" Hamrick, 348-5433/348-8336. -19/4

EXPERIENCED BABYSITTER One full-time opening, Monday-Friday, in my home one mile from town. Call Dawn Juntilla, 348-2885. -19/4

HOW DO I MAKE A LIVING? The old fashioned way. I work for it. Summer car clean up, hand wash, hand wax, inside and out. I can do two a day, twenty dollars per. Call "Ockey" at 348-1305. By appointment only. Pick up and delivery. Satisfaction guaranteed! -19/4

BABYSITTING in my licensed home. M - F, meals provided. Any age welcome. In Beaver Creek. 275-4319. Lic. # FH200211. -19/4

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NEWLY LICENSED MOTHER HAS OPENING for babysitting of all ages. Meals included, prices to meet everyone's budget. Call now! 348-3179. -12-19/4

PIANO TEACHER HAS OPENINGS. Call Karen, 348-2891. -12-19-26/4

THE LACROIX'S, GARY AND JANET, appearing Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights for the month of September at the Copper Kettle. -12-19/4

BABYSITTING IN MY HOME Mon. - Fri. 6 a.m. - 6 p.m., Clough Subdivision - just across N. Down; close to Elementary School. 348-4157. -12-19/4

PAINTING - Interior, exterior. Reasonable rates. Years of experience. By the hour or by the job. 348-9517. -12-19-26/4

JOHN'S TV, ANTENNAS & VCR repair. New home cable installation, service calls. All model TV repair. 348-6946. 9/12/91/4

DEAD OAK - for \$30.00 a cord. Green oak \$25.00 a cord. Also tree and brush removal, very reasonable. Call Scott at 348-1309. -12-19-26-3/4

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FOR SALE 5

1988 FLEETWOOD Wildemess Travel Trailer. 33' bunk house, sleeps 9, loaded with extras. Will sacrifice for payoff. 348-4261 evenings. -12-19/5

AFRICAN VIOLETS BY DON GEISS fall sale. Hundreds of colors, regular and miniatures, \$3 each. See at Art Clough Realty, 1169 N. I-75 Business Loop. Call 348-5657. Free delivery within 10 miles of Grayling, color our choice. -19/5

ANTIQUE ELECTRIC RANGE, white, 35" wide, with built in griddle on left, about 1925-1935, works, \$75. Hal, (517) 348-5965. 9/19/91/1/5

FOR SALE, BEAUTY SALON FIXTURES: styling chairs, \$50; shampoo sinks with counter and mirror, \$125; hair dryers, \$75. Call 348-4242 or 348-8673. -19-26/5

GENUINE LEATHER COAT size 8, excellent condition, \$15; double size comforter, two pair short curtains, one pair long curtains, and pillow shams (all peach print), \$30 for all; Odyssey II king-size electric blanket, \$25. Phone 348-2299 or 348-9618. 9/19/91/1/5NC

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INSTRUMENTS FOR SALE: flute, \$200; trumpet, \$200; and single french horn, \$300. All in good condition. Call 348-2937. -12-19/5

LARGE OIL BURNING space heater with 100 gallon tank. Best offer. 348-2833. -12-19/5

APPLIANCES FOR SALE Jacuzzi and Chair glow gas grills, Magic Chef washers, dryers, refrigerators, gas ranges and dishwashers. Grayling Fuelgas & Appliances. 348-6241. 12/11/1/5

APPLIANCES PARTS available at Jansen's Sales and Service, 501 Cedar Street. Call 348-5571. 6/25/1/5

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SPINET-CONSOLE PIANO BARGAIN WANTED: Responsible party to make low monthly payments on piano. Can be seen locally. Call Mr. White at: 1-800-327-3345, ext. 101. -19-26-3/5

1¢ SALE-only .007¢ per hour per year to build and maintain a new elementary school in Crawford County. VOTE-YES-SEPTEMBER 25. Paid for by the Committee for Excellence in Education. -19/5

1986 MOTORCYCLE PW-50. Excellent, \$450. Great Christmas present. Phone 275-4285. -19/5

FOUR EACH, 185-70SR-13 TIRES, all for \$25. Eureka upright vacuum with accessories, \$20. 348-7143. -19-26/5

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1989 MARLIN (LEVER ACTION) 44 magnum deer rifle, Tasco scope, box of shells, gun case, cleaning kit, \$290. Crossman V-300 slide lever action BB pistol for target with some BB's, \$8. Call 348-8314. -19/5

30 INCH ELECTRIC RANGE, good condition, \$100. Call 348-9226. -19/5

ADORABLE LAB PUPPIES available at the Grayling Animal Shelter. Only seven weeks old, in desperate need of new home. 348-2841. -19/5

FOR SALE: New, single, stainless steel sink \$25; new Seal-a-Meal, \$15; Fisher Price children's stereo, \$35. Call 348-4318 after 5 p.m. 9/19/91/1/5NC

HOMECOMING DRESSES Hot looking teal-length, size 7, variety to choose from, worn only once. Great bargain. Call 348-5660, leave message. -19/5

WANTED 6

WANTED: LIVE-IN HOUSEKEEPER. Must be neat, polite and unattached. Not over 55 years old. Please respond to Rt 3 Box 3218, Grayling, MI. Please include photo and phone number. 8/19/1/1/6

THE LACROIX'S, GARY AND JANET, appearing Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights for the month of September at the Copper Kettle. -12-19/6

WANTED - Fish lovers to enjoy all you can eat Fish Fry at Spike's Keg O'Nails, every Friday from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m., 305 Cedar Street. Take out available. 9/12/91/1/6

I WANT TO RENT 3 or 4 bedroom house in Grayling. Need to be out of present location by October 1. Call 348-8265 anytime. -9/12/91/1/6NC

WANTED: people to support the economic growth of Crawford County. VOTE-YES-SEPTEMBER 25. Paid for by the Committee for Excellence in Education. -19/6

WANTED-REGISTERED VOTERS who forgot to vote in December, to alleviate crowded schools in Crawford County. Vote YES, Wednesday, September 25. Paid for by the committee for excellence in Education. -19/6

READ IT IN THE AVALANCHE

MISC. 7

MILLTOWN MOTORS, I-75 BUSINESS LOOP NORTH, pickup truck accessories, sliding glass windows, window tinting, bumpers, truck covers, sunroofs sold and installed. 348-7352. 8/9/1/7

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FREE-TAKE TWO Take two positive voters to the polls with you Wednesday, September 25. Cut the KID KRUNCH! Pd. for by the Committee for Excellence in Education. -19/7

U.S. GOV'T AUCTIONS AND SURPLUS How to buy cars, boats, even houses at incredible low prices. Free 24 hr. recorded message. Ext. 102. Call (616) 696-3441. -19-26/7

DON'T FORGET TO ORDER your flowers for Homecoming, Friday and Saturday, September 27th & 28th. We have corsages, boutonnieres and table center pieces at Main Street Florals. Just call or visit us today. 348-7423, downtown Grayling. -19-26/7

Rummage Sale
9-5 Fri. Sept. 20-9-3 Sat. Sept. 21
Mt. Hope Lutheran Church
2 Mi. N. of Grayling on Old 27
at M-93 -19/7

ANNOUNCEMENTS 8

CIVIL AIR PATROL forming new unit in area. Young adult volunteers interested in working with teen members, send name, address, phone # to CAP, P.O. Box 424, Grayling, MI 49738. -29-5-12-19/8

LOST: THREE TONE METAL BRACE-LET August 30 while garage sale. Keepsake. Reward. Call daughter, Cheryl Baker, 348-7129 after 7 p.m., or mail to P.O. Box 180, Grayling. Thank you, Marge Case. -12-19/8

REWARD \$20 Lost near corner of M-72 & 27 near carwash, downtown Grayling, large grey striped male cat, Melvin. Please call 348-1359. -12-19/8

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OUR NEED IS YOUR GAIN - Beaver Creek Resort. Gold Membership, Coast to Coast, lots more. Retails over \$7000, will sell to first \$3500. 348-4261, evenings. -12-19/8

A HARVEST DINNER at Michelson Church will be held September 24th from 5 to 7 p.m. -19/8

VACUUM CLEANER SERVICE on Kirby-Filler Queen-Rainbow. Free pick-up and return once a week. Phone Alpena, 354-3580, or Sew & Vac, P.O. Box 284, Grayling, MI 49738. -19-26-3-10/8

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BOYS INTERESTED IN JOINING Tiger Scouts and Cub Scouts need to come to the annual Round-up being held at Camp AuSable Fort on September 25th from 6:30 - 8. Parents do need to attend with their child. -19/8

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY HENRIETTA BEAR who will be 90 on October 5. Her address is 1804 S.W. 35th Place, Gainesville, FL 32608. From your friends. -19/8

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PERSONALS 9

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IF YOU'RE GOING to the Homecoming game on Friday, September 27th, or the dance on Saturday, September 28th, don't forget flowers for that special person. Just call or visit us today at Main Street Florals, Downtown Grayling. 348-7423. -19-26/9

LOOK OUT GRAYLING, Valorie's
Got Her Drivers License!
Happy Sweet 16
Love, You Know Who -19/9

Happy Birthday Toots!

Happy 2nd Birthday Raymond Pease

GARAGE SALES 10

THURSDAY
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 7604 Kelley, Frederic, behind Town Hall. Lots of misc. items. -19/10

10th Annual Sale
Antique table & chairs, home decor, baskets, toys, gas cans, winter boots, canning jars, snowsuits, fabric paints, dyes, florals, wood kits, fabric, clothing. Ping Pong table, windows.
New Location 301 Milkado
Thurs., Fri. 9-7, Sun 9-5
Proceeds for Grayling S.D.A. Church School Recycling Made Fun! -19/10

FRIDAY
SUPER MOVING SALE Motor home, boat, Hammond organ with rhythm, water bed, sofa, chairs, fabric, box springs, mattress. 72-W, Eagle Point. Friday-Saturday, 10 to 4. -19/10
GARAGE SALE: FRIDAY & SATURDAY, 9 til 5 p.m. Misc. items and clothes, knick-knacks, etc. Rt. 2, Red Wing Terrace. -19/10

WANTED: ADDITIONAL SPACE BY 1992
For Excess of 216 Persons Ages 5-14 in Crawford AuSable School District
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FRIDAY

SEPTEMBER 20, 21, 22, 9 A.M. Clothes, household, tools. East on 4-Mile Rd to Barker Lake Rd., follow signs.
-19/10

SATURDAY

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 9-4, 705 Ogden. Baby clothes, baby items, boat, girl's clothes, boy's bike, toys, radio, Nintendo, radio, rain or shine.
-19/10

ESTATE SALE Antiques and collectibles, furniture, appliances, dishes, clothing, tools, office equipment, linen and lawn furniture. 480 Elder Dr., Harrison, Leota area. Saturday and Sunday, September 14th & 15th and 21st & 22nd, 9 a.m.
-12-19/10

GARAGE SALE: ONE DAY ONLY Saturday, September 21st, 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. Exercise bike, desk, Spinet organ, misc. household items, some antique dishes, cookie jars. North Park Drive off Roberts Road. Watch for signs.
-19/10

HANDYMAN'S GARAGE SALE on Mikado St. Windows, doors, wood stove, oil stove, misc. small tools, building supplies. September 21 & 22, 10-4.
-19/10

YARD SALE SEPTEMBER 21-22, 224 Dale. Women's & girl teens dresses, 5 thru 12, sweaters, slacks, jeans, 7-14. Men's & teen boys jeans, corduroys, 24-30, t-shirts & sweaters, small-medium. Reasonable prices. Microwave, humidifier.
-19/10

GARAGE SALE: 803 VINE. Closed last weekend due to rain. Dresser, bed, clothes, lots of misc., and more things added. Prices reduced. Saturday and Sunday.
-19/10

**WE WERE RAINED OUT!!
MOVING SALE
ONE DAY ONLY!
10 A.M. to 5 P.M.
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21**
North Manistee R.V. Rd. go to Frederic, turn West on C.R. 612, 6 Mi. turn right 5th house on left side.
For Sale: Power mower, CX500 Honda, 16 ft. 65 hp. Ski Boat, toys, bicycles, clothes, ski boots, snow suits.
Ph. 348-8717 -19/10

SUNDAY

FOR SALE: SPORTS CARDS, used toys, various items. Sunday, September 22, 1-5 p.m. 335 Millikin Rd.
-19/10

MISCELLANEOUS

HIGGINS LAKE FLEA MARKET-YORTY'S ANTIQUES AND BOOKS. Now open 12-5 daily, (closed Sundays). OUR 50TH ANNIVERSARY SALE! 50,000 items. Store-wide discounts to 50%. Next to NBD Bank.
-12-19-26/10

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-12-19/10

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8/22/91/11

1985 RENAULT ALLIANCE Good condition, excellent body, approximately 35 miles to gallon, \$2,200 or best offer, 348-8265, between 9 and 5 p.m.
-19/11

1984 FORD ESCORT HATCHBACK WAGON, low miles, good running condition. Call after 5 p.m., (517) 348-4040. Asking \$2,500, negotiable.
-19/11

1988 FORD MUSTANG SEDAN (blue), 24,500 miles, excellent condition, tape deck, power door locks, \$5,500. Call 348-8314.
-19/11

'80 DODGE 150 4X4 Meyers plow, one owner, \$3,900 or best offer. 348-2392.
-19-26/11

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made the 9th day of September, 1989, by Harold L. Stone, III, a single man, of 67852 County Road #388, South Haven, Michigan, 49090, as Mortgagor to Old Kent Bank of Grayling, a Michigan banking corporation, recorded October 3, 1989, in Liber 302, Pages 420-423, Crawford County Records, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice \$18,615.25, principal and \$342.72 interest. No suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said Mortgage, and the power of sale in said Mortgage contained, having become operative by reason of such default.

Notice is hereby given that on 24th day of September, 1991, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said Mortgage, together with the legal costs and expenses as allowed by law, including an attorney fee of \$75.00 as provided by law and in said Mortgage, the lands and premises in said Mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit:

Property located in the Township of Lovells, County of Crawford, State of Michigan:

PARCEL NO. 1: A parcel of land 50 feet wide bounded by and included within a line commencing at a point 30 feet East of the Northeast corner of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 28, Town 28 North, Range 2 West, and running thence East 50 feet, thence South to the North Shore of K. P. Lake, thence Westerly along said shore approximately 50 feet to a point South of the point of Beginning; thence North approximately 265 feet to the Point of Beginning. Being a part of the East 1/2 of Government Lot 1, Section 28, Town 28 North, Range 2 West.

PARCEL NO. 2: A parcel of land commencing at a point which is 685.2 feet East from the Northwest corner of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of a Place of Beginning; thence South approximately 675.9 feet, thence East 100 feet, thence 675.9 feet North to County Road 612, thence West 100 feet to Place of Beginning. Being a part of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 28, Town 28 North, Range 2 West.

The redemption period as provided by law shall be six (6) months from the date of sale (MCL 600.3240 (3)).
Dated August 21, 1991

OLD KENT BANK OF GAYLORD
By: Steve R. DuBois (P23769)
Attorney for Mortgage
DuBois, Westernman & Cooper
Suite 302
Old Kent Bank Building
Grayling, Michigan 49735
517-732-2912

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF OTSEGO

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August, 1991, by Steve R. DuBois, attorney for Old Kent Bank of Grayling, a Michigan banking corporation.
Connie Dee Stubli Notary Public
Otsego County, Michigan
Commission Expires: 12/27/93
-29-5-12-19

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default has occurred in the conditions of a Mortgage made by MADDEN-DAVIS CORPORATION, a Michigan corporation (the "Mortgagor"), to Old Kent Bank of Grayling, a Michigan banking corporation, having its principal office at 123 West Main, P.O. Box 600, Grayling, Michigan (the "Mortgage") dated May 11, 1989, recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, on May 16, 1989, in Liber 296, Page 612-615. By reason of such default, the undersigned elects to declare and hereby declares the entire unpaid amount of said Mortgage due and payable forthwith.

As of the date of this Notice, there is claimed to be due for principal and interest on said Mortgage the sum of One Hundred Sixty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Six and 91/100 Dollars (\$168,226.91). No suit or proceeding at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by the virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, and to pay said amount, with interest, as provided in said Mortgage, and all legal costs, charges, and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and all taxes and insurance premiums paid by the undersigned before sale, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front entrance of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Michigan on October 3, 1991, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon. The premises covered by said Mortgage are situated in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, and are described as follows:

Part of Lot 18, GRAYLING INDUSTRIAL PARK, in the West 1/2 of Section 17, Town 26 North, Range 3 West, City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan (recorded in Liber 4 of Plats, Page 17), described as commencing at the Northeast corner of said Lot 18; thence South 01 degree 37 minutes 32 seconds West along the West line of Dupont Street 348.37 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing along said line South 01 degree 37 minutes 32 seconds West 200.0 feet; thence South 89 degrees 45 minutes 24 seconds West 282.29 feet to the Northeastly line of the "Detroit & Mackinac Railroad" (formerly Penn Central); thence North 45 degrees 53 minutes 57 seconds West along said line 137.53 feet to the Southeastly line of limited access highway "Interstate 75"; thence North 27 degrees 18 minutes 44 seconds East along said line 117.04 feet; thence North 89 degrees 45 minutes 24 seconds East 333.02 feet to the point of beginning.

Notice is further given that the length of the redemption period will be six months from the date of sale.
Date: August 29, 1991

OLD KENT BANK OF GAYLORD
Jeffrey O. Birkhold
WARNER, NORCROSS & JUDD
900 Old Kent Building
111 Lyon Street, N.W.
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503-2489
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-29-5-12-19

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

A petition has been filed with the Grayling Township Board by more than 50% of property owners of Harbor Beach Subdivision, Sec. 8, T26N, R4W. The petition requests creation of a Special Assessment District to spread the cost of paving the interior roads of said Subdivision.

A public hearing will be held October 8, 1991, at 7:45 p.m., in the Grayling Township Conference Room, 2090 Viking Way (M-72 West). The purpose of the hearing is to receive and review public opinion regarding approval of the creation of the proposed Special Assessment District.

The proposed plans are on file and may be examined at the Grayling Township Offices between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Correspondence may be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI, 49738. Phone (517) 348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton, CMC
Grayling Township Clerk
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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE NOTICE OF RIGHT TO REFERENDUM ON BECOMING A CHARTER TOWNSHIP

Official certification has been received from the Michigan Secretary of State that the township of Grayling has a population of 2,000 or more and the township board has the right to exercise one of three options concerning status as a charter township under the provisions of Act 359, Public Acts of 1947, as amended:

1. Adopt by majority vote a resolution opposed to incorporation as a charter township.
2. Adopt by majority vote a resolution of intent to approve incorporation as a charter township.
3. Adopt by majority vote a resolution to place before the electorate at the next regular or special township election the question of incorporation as a charter township.

In the event option 2 is adopted by the township board, the citizens of the township have the right to file a "Right to Referendum Petition." This petition must be filed within the 60 days which must lapse between passage of a resolution of intent to incorporate and final passage of the resolution to incorporate as a charter township.

The petition will follow, in general form, the nominating petition form as prescribed in the Michigan Election Law, and in the heading will indicate "Disagreement of Intent to Incorporate as a Charter Township." The petition must be signed by not less than 10% of the registered voters of the township based on the vote cast for all candidates for supervisor at the last election at which a supervisor was elected.

If the petition is successful, the question of incorporation will be placed on the ballot at the next general or special township election.

Monica S. Ashton, C.M.C.
Grayling Township Clerk
-19-26

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

GEORGE MASCARELLO, JR., and
SHARLENE A. MASCARELLO,
Plaintiffs,
v
CHARLES MEAGHER, et al,
defendants.
File No. 979-2008-CK(D)
LAW OFFICES OF WILLIAM L. CAREY
BY: William L. Carey P31602
Attorney for Plaintiff
PO Drawer 665, Grayling, MI 49738

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, made and entered in the above entitled cause on or about the 17th day of July, 1989, notice is hereby given that the Crawford County Clerk shall sell at public sale to the highest bidder, at the front door of the County Building in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, on the 10th day of October, 1991, at 10:00 a.m. in the forenoon. The following described property, located in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, to-wit:

The SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 34, T26N, R2W, and the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 34, T26N, R2W, except the North 171 feet of the West 751.75 feet of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 lying Southeastly of Chase Bridge Road pursuant to and according to a survey recorded at Liber 193, Pages 81-86, Crawford County Records, and further excepting from said surveyed description Parcels 1, 2, 6, 8, 9, and 10.

Respectfully submitted,
BY: William L. Carey P31602
Attorney for Plaintiff
114 Michigan Ave., PO Drawer 665,
Grayling, MI 49738 517-348-5232
Dated: August 21, 1991

-29-5-12-19-26-3

Notice of Judicial Sale

By virtue of a Default Judgement in favor of Wurtsmith Community Federal Credit Union and against Gregory J. Follett dated June 3, 1991 in Wurtsmith Community Federal Credit Union v. Law Francis, survivor of himself and Margaret L. Francis, Timothy H. Francis and Betty J. Francis, husband and wife, and Gregory J. Follett, a single man, Crawford County Circuit Court, Case No. 90-2425-CH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 27th day of September, 1991, at 11:00 a.m., the property described below will be sold by public sale to the highest bidder, at the main entrance to the Crawford County Courthouse, 200 Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan.

The property for sale is described as follows:
Parcel K-11, Part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 18, T25N, R3W, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan. Commencing at the Northeast corner of said Section 18, thence S 89° 44' 25" W (along the North Section line), 836.00 feet; thence S 0° 15' 35" E, 33 feet to the POB, thence continuing S 0° 15' 35" E 350 feet; thence S 89° 44' 25" W 375 feet; thence N 0° 15' 35" W 350 feet; thence N 89° 44' 25" E, 375 feet to the POB. Containing 3.01 acres; and

The 1971 Vindale Mobile Home, Serial No. 12307 situated on the above-described property and all other fixtures and appurtenances thereto.

All inquires should be directed to the undersigned.
Bodman, Longley & Dahling
By: David W. Barton
Attorneys for Wurtsmith Community Federal Credit Union
229 Court Street
P.O. Box 405
Cheboygan, Michigan 49721
(616) 627-4351
Dated: August 26, 1991

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STATE OF MICHIGAN 83RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION/POSTING AND NOTICE OF ACTION

CASE NO. 91 132 GC
County Building, Grayling, MI, 49738
(517) 348-2841 Ext. 242
GRAYLING STATE BANK
v
GERALD K. HALL,
3122 PORTAGE AVENUE
GRAYLING, MI 49738
David R. Sabin, P.C. P19822
115 Michigan Ave, Grayling, MI 49738
(517) 348-5588

TO: GERALD K. HALL.

IT IS ORDERED:

You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to recover possession of a certain motor vehicle (1983 Chevrolet Conversion Van) for public auction with the sale proceeds to be applied to the default in the contract. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before 10-3-91 at 10:00 a.m. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

September 10, 1991

Judge Francis L. Walsh (P21943)

-19-26-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE JUDICIAL COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

CHARLES E. LONG AND
CAROLINE HALL
Plaintiffs,

v
JAMES GILLIAM AND
SHARON LEDERMAN/GILLIAM
174 West Brickley,
Hazel Park, MI 48034
defendants.

Case No. 91-2532 CK (D)
LAW OFFICES OF DAVID R. SABIN
BY: David R. Sabin P.C. P19822
115 Michigan Ave, Grayling, MI 49738

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

On August 5, 1991, the 46th Circuit Court of Crawford County Michigan judges in favor of the plaintiff(s), Charles E. Long and Caroline Hall, and against the defendant(s), James Gilliam and Sharon Lederman/Gilliam.

On 10 a.m., Wednesday, December 11, 1991, at public auction to be held at Crawford County Building, Grayling, Michigan, in this county, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder all of the right, title and interest of defendant(s) in and to the following property:

Parcel 1: Part of the West 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 19, Town 25 North, Range 3 West, described as: Beginning 107.6 feet West and 2100 feet North of the Southeast corner of the West 1/2 of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section 19; thence West 190 feet; thence North 200 feet; thence East 190 feet; thence South 200 feet to the Point of Beginning, Township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

A true copy
by: Elizabeth Wieland,
County Clerk

Dated August 6, 1991

-29-5-12-19-26-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CRAWFORD PUBLICATION NOTICE Independent Probate

File No. 91-4891-IE

Estate of PAUL D. DUNHAM, deceased, 372-94-7692.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by this hearing.

TAKENOTICE: On September 11, 1991, at 1:00 p.m., in the probate courtroom, Grayling, Michigan, before Penny A. Shepherd, Register of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of THOMAS J. DUNHAM requesting that he be appointed personal representative of PAUL D. DUNHAM, Deceased, who lived at 4435 M-72 East, Grayling, Michigan, and who died February 22, 1990.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the (proposed) personal representative, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will then be assigned to entitled persons appearing of record.

September 13, 1991
Nelson A. Miles P-17728
P.O. Box 303, 114 Michigan Ave.
Grayling, MI 49738 Ph: (517) 348-9022
THOMAS J. DUNHAM
Rt. #2, Box 2027
Grayling, MI 49738 Ph: (517) 348-8087

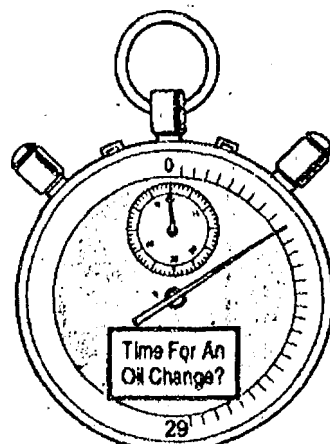
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Archery Range Reopens At Hanson Hills

After being closed seven years the archery range at Hanson Hills has reopened. Extensive remodeling has been done to improve the building's energy efficiency and handicap accessibility and the Bear Bowman Club, in honor of Fred Bear, invite the public to an open house. The day will include free shooting so bring bows and try out the range. The Open House will be held Sunday, September 29, from noon until five.

The Bear Bowman Club would like all bowhunters to get "warmed-up" for the coming bow season then continue shooting at the range through winter months. Leagues are shooting Tuesday and Wednesday nights starting at seven. Open shooting is during league times or on Sunday noon until five. Cost of membership is twenty-five dollars. This entitles you to a two dollar discount on lane fees.

The club hopes to have many activities once they are established.

Any adult interested in taking up this sport should come out on Sundays and get some free instruction. The range is located behind the old Fred Bear Museum.

The club is a separate entity from Grayling Recreation Authority, but will be conducting a joint youth archery program this winter.

If you need more information contact one of the club officers: Barry Fenn, president, 348-5923; Gene Poll, vice president, 348-2576; Gary Persondck, treasurer, 275-8753, or Carolyn Poll, secretary, 348-2576.

Rotary Club Golf Outing Attracts 116

The Grayling Rotary Club held its first golf outing on September 5, and because it was a huge success, it will be an annual event. It was not only a huge success because of the assistance provided by local Rotarians and friends of Rotarians such as Linda Albee, Jeff Geiss, Susie Hees, Marilyn McClanahan, and Pauline Petrosky. The Rotary Club is grateful for the assistance or financial backing of Glen's Market, Art Wiley, Century 21, and the Grayling State Bank.

Grayling calendar sales continue to produce winners. Recent winners are Ken Chapp, Tom Coors, Isabel Hanson, Rod Leslie, Dennis Palmer, Dominic Puroll, Ellen Sojka, and John Sojka.

Annual Harvest Dinner Planned At Michelson Church

The annual Harvest Dinner at Michelson Church will be held on Tuesday, September 24.

Turkey dinner with all the trimmings and home made pie will be served from 5 to 7 p.m. Adults are \$6, children 12 and under are \$2.50, and under four are free.

Blood Pressure Clinic Offered

A free Blood Pressure Clinic will be held Monday, September 23, from 3:30 to 7 p.m. in the front lobby at Mercy Hospital/Grayling.

This free monthly clinic is conducted by nurses from the Crawford County Chapter of the American Red Cross, with assistance from the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary. Individuals of all ages are encouraged to attend and learn more about factors affecting blood pressure.

For more information contact Donna Plam, Volunteer and Community Services Coordinator, at 348-5461, ext. 193.

Births

The following parents are proud to announce their recent arrivals at Grayling Mercy Hospital:

Todd Wakeley and Michelle Sauvage of Grayling: Courtney Michelle, August 20, 1991, 8 lbs., 9.9 ozs.

Joe and Debbie Stiehl of Houghton Lake: Samantha Emilie, August 24, 1991, 5 lbs., 15.6 ozs.

Susan Hames of St. Helen: Cassandra Marie, August 23, 1991, 8 lbs., 4 1/2 ozs.

Diana Hurd of Roscommon: Paula Marie, August 26, 1991, 9 lbs., 1.9 ozs.

Sharon Lynch of Grayling and James Lynch: Arieal Marie, August 26, 1991, 6 lbs., 2.2 ozs.

Treasa Bane of Houghton Lake: Julia Rose, August 28, 1991, 7 lbs., 15.9 ozs.

Jack and Virginia Fults of Gaylord: Jackie Laverne, August 29, 1991, 7 lbs., 10 ozs.

Louis and Theresa Wildman of Grayling: Haley Marie, August 29, 1991, 7 lbs., 8 ozs.

Douglas Moggo and Pauline Campbell of Grayling: Joshua David, August 29, 1991, 8 lbs., 2 ozs.

Matt Barkway and Tammy Watros of Grayling: Matthew James, August 29, 1991, 7 lbs., 14.4 ozs.

Frank McLeod and Beri LaChance of Grayling: Frank Douglas, August 31, 1991, 4 lbs., 0.4 ozs.

Christopher and Cheryl Callahan of Grayling: Christopher James Edwin, August 31, 1991, 6 lbs., 9 ozs.

Michael and Lisa O'Conner of Grayling: Matthew David, August 31, 1991, 7 lbs., 11 ozs.

Pamela Johnson of Grayling: Aimee Louise-Ann, September 4, 1991, 9 lbs., 8.8 ozs.

Tracy Youngs of Roscommon: Zachary Scott, September 7, 1991, 7 lbs., 3.7 ozs.

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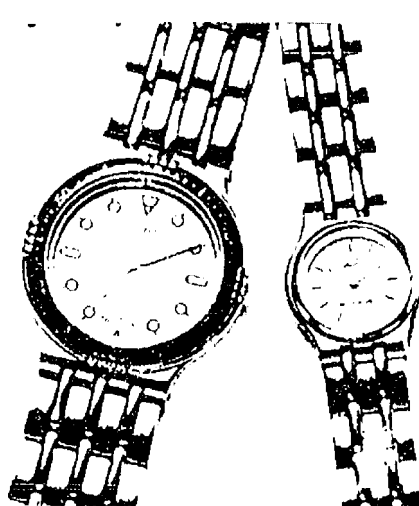
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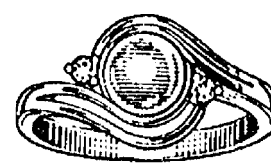
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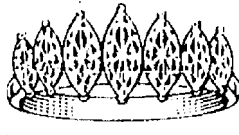
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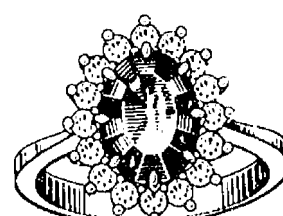
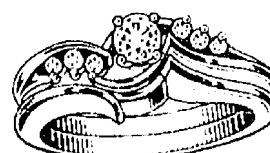


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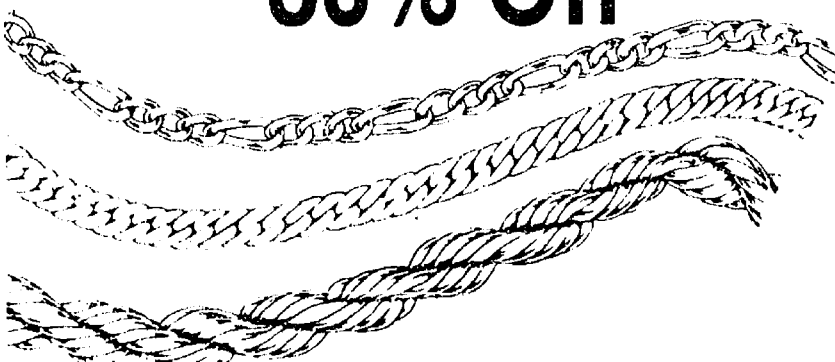
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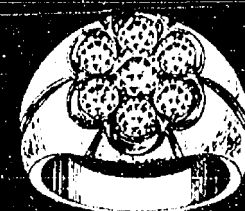
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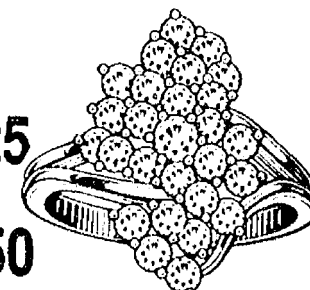
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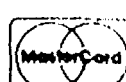
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